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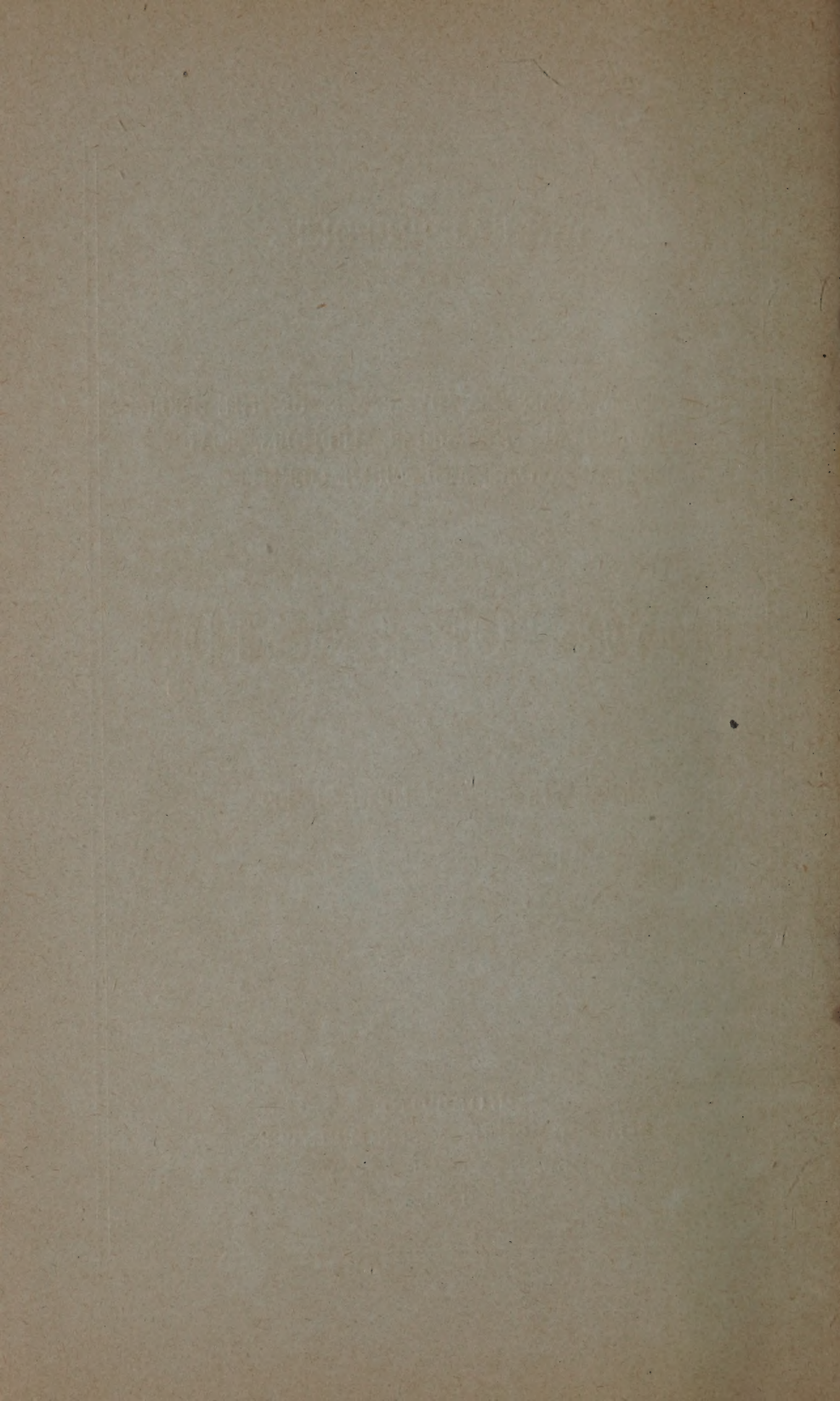
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TOWN OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR 1892.

Town Clerk, Treasurer, and Collector.

GEO. G. WITHINGTON.

Selectmen, Assessors, and Overseers of the Poor.

HIRAM WILLIAMS.

GEORGE COPELAND.

HENRY W. HEATH.

School Committee.

LINCOLN S. DRAKE.

Term expires 1893

WILLIAM L. CHAFFIN.

“ “ 1894

THOMAS H. MCCARTHY.

“ “ 1895

Road Commissioners.

JOHN J. MCCARTHY,

Term expires 1893

JOHN O. DEAN.

“ “ 1894

THOMAS F. LADD.

“ “ 1895

Sealer of Weights and Measures.

DANIEL M. DAILEY.

Constables.

SAMUEL M. RENNIE.

PATRICK COSTELLO.

JOHN J. MCCARTHY.

A. GRANVILLE PRATT.

FRED. A. CONANT.

J. WARREN WILLIS.

DENNIE G. WARREN.

GEO. B. SWEET.

Fence Viewers.

EDWARD R. HAYWARD.

EDWARD WELCH.

JOHN F. LONG.

Measurers of Wood and Bark.

EDWARD R. HAYWARD.

JOEL S. DRAKE.

LABEN W. DRAKE.

WILLARD K. GOWARD.

Surveyors of Plank and Timber.

EDWARD R. HAYWARD.

JAMES M. BELCHER.

WILLARD K. GOWARD.

THOMAS R. MARSHALL.

Auditors.

GEORGE W. KENNEDY.

WILLIAM J. TWOHIG.

REPORT OF THE ASSESSORS.

The following report of the financial condition of the town, Dec. 31, 1892, is respectfully submitted.

VALUATION ASSESSED MAY 1, 1892.

Value of personal estate,	\$2,656,810 00
“ “ real estate,	1,699,856 00
Total valuation of assessed estate,	\$4,356,666 00
Decrease of personal estate,	\$1,514 00
Increase of real estate,	53,575 00
Total increase,	\$52,061 00

APPROPRIATIONS.

Schools,	\$11,000 00
Superintendent of schools,	1,000 00
School-house repairs,	1,500 00
Text-books,	500 00
School desks,	500 00
Conveyance of scholars to High School,	1,000 00
Support of poor,	7,000 00
Roads and Bridges,	4,000 00
Road tools,	400 00
Sheridan Street,	350 00
Foundry “	845 00
Pleasant “	500 00
Street crossings,	50 00
Clearing roads of snow,	500 00
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	<i>\$29,145 00</i>

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$29,145 00
Brockton sewage,	1,500 00
Town officers,	1,500 00
Post 52, G. A. R.,	150 00
Incidentals,	1,200 00
Discount on taxes,	1,500 00
	\$34,995 00

ASSESSMENTS.

Schools,	\$11,000 00
Superintendent of schools,	1,000 00
Conveyance of scholars to High School,	1,000 00
Support of poor,	7,000 00
State Tax,	3,902 50
County Tax,	6,767 14
Overlayings,	272 64
	\$30,942 28

Rate of tax \$6.50 per \$1,000.

Poll tax \$2.

Number of polls, 1,311.

- “ “ dwellings taxed, 891.
- “ “ acres land taxed, 15,990.
- “ “ horses taxed, 534.
- “ “ cows taxed, 524.
- “ “ swine taxed, 136.
- “ “ sheep taxed, 3.
- “ “ neat cattle other than cows, 136.
- “ “ residents assessed on property, 855.
- “ “ persons assessed on property, 1,064.
- “ “ persons assessed for poll tax only, 680.

HIRAM WILLIAMS,
GEO. COPELAND.
HENRY W. HEATH,

Assessors.

REPORT OF THE OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

INVENTORY AT ALMSHOUSE, DEC. 31, 1892.

17 tons English hay,	\$340 00
4 " Meadow "	40 00
1 " Corn Fodder,	10 00
2 Horses,	300 00
15 Cows,	525 00
2 Two-year-olds,	50 00
1 Yearling,	12 50
163 bushels Corn,	98 00
60 " Potatoes,	72 00
100 " Turnips,	25 00
1 " Beans,	2 50
554 gallons Vinegar,	110 80
460 pounds Pork,	55 20
2 " Coffee,	60
5 " Tea,	2 00
31 " Butter,	10 23
5 " Rice,	40
2 " Raisins,	24
20 " Lard,	2 40
5 gallons Oil,	50
2 " Molasses,	1 00
12 jars Preserves,	4 80
Spice,	2 00
1 barrel Sugar,	11 22
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	\$1,676 39

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$1,676 39
Hard Soap,	2 00
Soft “	1 50
Washing Powder,	72
Salt,	1 20
Soda,	10
Oat Meal,	40
1 barrel Flour,	6 00
Bluing,	48
176 Fowls,	88 00
33 Vinegar Barrels,	24 75
30 Flour Barrels,	3 00
2 tons Coal,	12 25
400 feet Oak Plank,	16 00
180 feet Pine Plank,	2 70
1 Ice Chest,	10 00
1 Sewing Machine,	20 00
2 Cook Stoves,	45 00
4 Stoves,	4 00
4 Lanterns,	2 00
1 Scale,	2 00
2 Steelyards,	2 00
Balances,	5 00
1 set Measures,	2 00
Wooden Ware,	35 55
106 Milk Cans,	45 00
Tin Ware,	29 03
Iron Ware,	15 80
Stone Ware,	6 75
Crockery and Glass Ware,	42 75
Knives, Forks, and Spoons,	12 50
Table Linen and Towels,	10 30
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	\$2,125 17

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$2,125 17
Beds and Bedding,	339 00
Household Furniture,	202 80
Ox Wagon,	35 00
Farm Wagon,	45 00
Ox Cart,	40 00
2 Pungs	15 00
3 Cultivators,	10 00
5 Plows,	24 00
Mowing Machine,	20 00
Horse Power,	40 00
Hay Tedder,	25 00
Hay Rake,	18 00
2 Express Wagons,	100 00
Horse Hay Fork,	9 00
19 Cow Ties,	6 27
2 Ox Ties,	1 00
2 Sleds,	8 00
2 Horse Blankets,	2 00
1 Rubber Blanket,	2 00
Wheelbarrow,	3 00
2 Ox Yokes,	15 00
20 Feed Boxes,	4 50
10 Market Boxes,	1 00
Wheel Hoe,	2 00
2 Carriage Jacks,	2 00
1 Stone Drag,	4 00
1 Lawn Mower,	6 00
7 Ladders,	20 00
1 Step Ladder,	2 00
12 Fire Grenades,	10 00
12 Rubber Buckets,	6 00
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	\$3,142 94

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$3,142 74
2 Harnesses,	28 00
2 Harrows,	9 00
Other Farming Tools,	69 25
Steam Heater,	470 00
	\$3,718 99

RECEIPTS AT ALMSHOUSE.

Milk sold,	\$2,242 35
Eggs “	9 24
Fowls “	54 55
Vegetables sold,	73 42
Wood “	313 01
Stock “	178 17
Calves “	26 00
Vinegar “	10 00
Hay “	10 50
Buggy “	5 00
Board of Horse,	95 50
Labor,	4 52
Hay Stock, etc., on hand Dec. 31, 1892,	3,718 99
	\$6,741 25

EXPENDITURES AT ALMSHOUSE.

Groceries,	\$403 97
Flour,	75 85
Grain,	925 76
Meat,	299 83
Fish,	77 91
Other Provisions,	163 91
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	\$1,947 23

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$1,947 23
Clothing and Bedding,	262 89
Boots and Shoes,	53 08
Household Utensils,	28 47
Labor,	391 85
Blacksmithing,	26 23
Farming Tools,	72 49
Stock,	263 00
Coal,	87 16
Seed,	18 60
Repairs,	17 86
Medicine,	21 88
Soap,	21 48
Oil,	9 03
Fertilizers,	76 40
Milk,	674 88
Salt,	1 92
Wood,	49 50
Fruit-trees,	9 25
Burials,	12 00
Tobacco,	20 80
Painting,	165 16
Removal of Paupers,	60 72
Sundries,	20 73
Warden's Salary,	550 00
Hay, Stock, etc., on hand Dec. 31, 1891,	3,965 18
	\$8,827 79
Expenditures of Almshouse,	\$8,827 79
Receipts of Almshouse,	6,741 25
Balance against Almshouse,	\$2,086 54

INMATES OF ALMSHOUSE.

Name.	Age.	Weeks at Alms-house.
Mathew Welch,	—	52
C. F. Williams,	60	52
Charles M. Randall,	61	52
Clarence E. Dickerman,	18	49
Elsie French,	48	52
Ada M. Randall,	40	52
William H. French,	17	52
David T. Newcomb,	33	52
Willard H. Godfrey,	48	52
Bernard H. Alger,	80	52
Constantine Kerley,	64	52
Ruth E. Newcomb,	62	8
Mary F. Dean,	33	19
Earl A. Dean,	10	19
Guy T. Dean,	8	19
Bessie B. Dean,	6	19
Frankie A. Dean,	5	19
Mary A. Cunningham,	33	3
Martin Cunningham,	10	15
Sarah J. Cunningham,	8	15
Maggie Cunningham,	3	3
Frank M. Drake,	56	6
Mary Yorko,	22	2
Joseph Yorko,	10 days	2
Whole number for year,		25
Males,		15
Females,		10
Births,		1

Deaths,	1
Discharged,	10
Average number for year,	13 $\frac{1}{2}$
Now in Almshouse,	14
Average cost per week above income of farm,	\$2 90
Number of tramps,	519
Estimated cost of tramps,	\$103 80

EXPENSE OF POOR OUTSIDE ALMSHOUSE.

Paid Taunton Lunatic Hospital,

For William S. Holmes,	\$169 92	
“ John W. Marshall,	169 92	
“ Albert W. Phillips,	169 92	
“ Mary A. Randall,	169 92	
“ Carrie Jepson,	169 92	
“ Nahum M. D. Hayward,	169 92	
“ Chas. H. Cavanaugh,	160 88	
“ Jennette B. Bailey,	90 54	
		\$1,270 94

For Cyrus A. Freeman,

Paid Taunton Lunatic Hospital,	\$35 29	
“ Stoughton,	29 00	
		64 29

For Jeremiah Healey,

Paid Taunton Lunatic Hospital,	\$72 89	
“ Boston Branch Clothing Co.,	9 75	
“ John Costello,	3 00	
		85 64

Paid State Farm,

For Mathew Campion	\$146 40	
“ John P. O'Connell,	146 40	
		292 80

Amount carried forward, \$1,713 67

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$1,713 67
For Michael Coughlan family,		
Paid Boston,		57 46
For Nathaniel B. Lincoln,		
Paid A. R. Porter,	\$7 13	
" Stoughton,	34 86	
		41 99
For Mrs. Fred Fowler and family,		
Paid E. E. Clapp & Co.,	\$18 00	
" Michael Creadon,	72 00	
" A. E. Paine, M. D.,	3 00	
" F. S. Snow & Co.,	70 00	
" E. W. Hutchens,	10 00	
		173 00
For Mrs. John Kurley,		
Paid W. O. Drake,	\$52 00	
" Hutchenson & Kimball,	7 50	
		59 50
For Mrs. Thomas Dollard and daughter,		
Paid Brockton,		86 39
For Allen Brothers,		
Paid Swift Brothers,		52 00
For Arthur Kurley,		
Paid Lynn,		12 00
For Ebben Eddy.		
Paid Swift Brothers,	\$156 00	
" John O. Dean,	20 63	
" Martin E. Henshaw,	2 00	
" J. M. Belcher,	1 75	
" Howard & Clark,	12 00	
		192 38
For Daniel J. Buckley's family,		
Paid J. O. Dean,	\$23 52	
<i>Amounts carried forward,</i>	\$23 52	\$2,388 39

<i>Amounts brought forward,</i>	\$ 23 52	\$2,388 39
Paid H. Y. Mitchell,	250 00	
“ H. W. Heath,	95 00	
“ F. L. Ames,	72 00	
“ F. C. Pratt,	21 96	
“ Town Farm, wood,	9 75	
		472 23
For Henry A. White,		
Paid Wade & Sisson,	\$38 63	
“ A. M. Round, M. D.,	10 00	
“ H. W. Heath,	6 33	
“ Norton,	5 50	
		60 46
For James H. Lewis,		
Paid Walter H. Andrews,		16 25
For Mrs. John Morris.		
Paid Wade & Sisson,	\$86 00	
“ J. O. Dean,	7 00	
		93 00
For John Sloan,		
Paid J. O. Dean,		39 25
For Geo. N. Blanchard,		
Paid West Bridgewater,	\$47 00	
“ John F. Dean,	2 25	
		49 25
For James D. Walker,		
Paid New Bedford,		65 00
For Mrs. John Bailey,		
Paid Brockton,		19 41
For Henry D. James's family,		
Paid Brockton,		23 90
For Mrs. Olivia Anderson and family,		
Paid Brockton,		136 00
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>		\$3,363 14

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$3,363 14	
For John J. Rehill,			
Paid Brockton,		2 00	
For Mrs. Nellie F. Burt,			
Paid Brockton,		3 29	
For Bessie Coney and family,			
Paid J. C. Goward,	\$13 50		
" O. Ames & Sons Corporation,	96 00		
			109 50
For Mrs. James O'Brien,			
Paid J. C. Goward,	\$6 75		
" F. Middleton,	36 00		
			42 75
For Mrs. Ann Clonan,			
Paid J. C. Goward,	\$13 63		
" F. Middleton,	35 00		
" Town Farm, wood,	3 25		
			51 88
For Mrs. Bridget O'Connell,			
Paid J. C. Goward,	\$10 25		
" E. R. Hayward,	3 00		
" F. Middleton,	36 00		
			49 25
For Mrs. Mary Malloy,			
Paid J. C. Goward,		9 75	
For Mrs. Timothy Healey,			
Paid O. Ames & Sons Corporation,		48 00	
For Mrs. Margaret Harrigan,			
Paid J. C. Goward,	\$6 76		
" Charles Carr,	12 00		
" A. B. Sladen,	48 00		
			66 76
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>			\$3,746 32

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		
For Mrs. Ellen Walsh,		
Paid O. Ames & Sons Corporation,		36 00
For Mrs. Ann McCready,		
Paid O. Ames & Sons Corporation,		3 00
For Mrs. Ann Fitzgibbons,		
Paid O. Ames & Sons Corporation,	\$9 87	
" Geo. G. Withington & Co.,	50	
		10 37
For Mrs. Jane Fitzpatrick,		
Paid D. J. Dineen & Co.,	\$20 00	
" O. Ames & Sons Corporation,	5 75	
		25 75
For Annie Rehill and family,		
Paid Frank Middleton,		120 00
For Mrs. Annie Downey and family,		
Paid F. Middleton,	\$120 00	
" J. C. Goward,	3 50	
" Kate Leeson,	3 00	
		126 50
For Azabel O. Randall,		
Paid H. Y. Mitchell,	\$27 25	
" W. O. Drake,	30 00	
" Swift Brothers,	24 88	
		82 13
For Mrs. Mary Cunningham and family,		
Paid Fall River,	\$22 93	
" State almshouse,	53 71	
		76 64
For Mrs. Abby Ripley,		
Paid Plymouth,		48 00
For E. W. Chamberlain family,		
Paid Avon,		36 25
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>		\$4,310 96

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$4,310 96
For Mrs. Patrick Degnan and family,		
Paid Brockton,		20 00
For Mary F. Dean and family,		
Paid Cohasset,		344 05
For John T. Clapp,		
Paid Stoughton,		3 50
For John E. Lincoln,		
Paid Canton,		19 75
For Robert L. Watts family,		
Paid Boston,		25 50
For Francis McKenney,		
Paid Boston,		7 00
For Jennie Conlan,		
Paid Boston,		3 44
For Mansfield M. James,		
Paid Boston,		48 00
For Frank W. Drake,		
Paid State almshouse,	\$9 43	
" Newton,	17 50	
		26 93
For Bertha E. Lewis,		
Paid Abington,		31 25
For Elmer E. Lincoln,		
Paid Stoughton,		30 00
For Daniel H. Ames,		
Paid Howard Phillips,	\$2 00	
" H. Y. Mitchell,	18 00	
" Warden of Almshouse, burial,	14 00	
" Town Farm, wood,	6 50	
		40 50
For Mrs. James McGinty,		
Paid W. H. Andrews,		40 00
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>		\$4,950 88

Amount brought forward,

For Elbridge Morse,		
Paid William King,	\$18 65	
" A. B. Sladen,	7 77	
		26 42

POOR OF OTHER TOWNS AND STATE.

For Daniel Washburn Norton,		
Paid W. H. Andrews,	\$5 00	
" Wade & Sisson,	10 00	
		\$15 00
For William E. Washburn Norton,		
Paid W. H. Andrews,		14 00
For Marcus E. Jones, Lancaster,		
Paid Swift Brothers,	\$55 00	
" W. L. Hallitt, M. D.	16 00	
" Town of Easton, rent,	36 00	
		107 00
For Albert R. Britton, Stoughton,		
Paid E. J. W. Morse Co.,		4 00
For Fred L. Williamson, Marshfield,		
Paid O. Ames & Sons Corporation,		9 75
For Mrs. Elbridge Lincoln, Taunton,		
Paid F. E. Tilden, M. D.,		2 50
For August Marlburg, State,		
Paid Henry Anderson,	\$2 00	
" Howard & Clark,	13 50	
		15 50
For Sally Henrys Raynham,		
Paid Swift Brothers,	\$57 70	
" John O. Dean,	39 50	
" F. E. Tilden,	15 00	
		\$112 20
Amount refunded,	48 00	
		64 20
		\$5,209 25

Paid for poor outside Almshouse,	\$5,209 25	
Balance against Almshouse,	2,086 54	
		\$7,295 79
Appropriation by town for poor,	\$7,000 00	
Received and due from other towns and State,	231 95	
		7,231 95
Balance		\$63 84
Paid medical attendance on poor,		200 00
Exceeded appropriation,		\$263 84

HIRAM WILLIAMS,
 GEORGE COPELAND,
 HENRY W. HEATH,
Overseers of Poor.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

TOWN HALL ACCOUNT.

Paid Oreste G. Favor for care of Hall,	\$17 60	
“ Abram French & Co., chandelier, chimneys, and globes,	22 96	
“ F. B. Littlefield, wood,	4 50	
“ Lucius Howard, wood,	2 25	
“ Thomas & Packard, lamps,	1 50	
“ H. Y. Mitchell, oil, etc.,	1 00	
		\$49 81

TOWN WELLS.

Paid Wales Bros., new pump at Centre,	\$25 00	
“ C. T. Howard, repairing turn-pike pump,	3 00	
		28 00

TOWN OFFICER'S BILLS.

HIRAM WILLIAMS,

Services as selectman, assessor, etc.,	\$327 75	
Conveyance,	36 97	
Cash expenses,	13 28	
		378 00

GEO. COPELAND,

Services as selectman, assessor, etc.,	\$247 35	
Conveyance,	39 60	
Cash expenses,	9 52	
		296 47
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>		\$674 47

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$674 47
HENRY W. HEATH,		
Services as selectman, assessor,		
etc.,	\$173 75	
Conveyance,	31 40	
Cash expenses,	9 00	
		214 15
GEO. G. WITHINGTON,		
Services as town clerk, treas-		
urer, and registrar of voters,		350 00
A. MORTON HAYWARD,		
Services as registrar of voters,		50 00
GEO. A. LACKEY,		
Services as registrar of voters,		50 00
JULIUS D. ATWOOD,		
Services as registrar of voters,		50 00
PATRICK COSTELLO,		
Services as constable,		35 25
THOMAS B. KEITH,		
Services as road commissioner,		17 00
JOHN O. DEAN,		
Services as road commissioner,		58 95
THOMAS F. LADD,		
Services as road commissioner,		65 00
JOHN J. MCCARTHY,		
Services as road commissioner,		55 00
		\$1,619 82

ESTATE OF HIRAM P. DRAKE.

The matter of the will of Hiram P. Drake was referred by vote of the town to the Selectmen, with full power to settle the case on the part of the town.

It soon became evident that the heirs-at-law of said Drake would contest the will, and that whether the town could hold the legacies bequeathed to it would have to be determined by a long and expensive suit at law.

The Selectmen, after careful deliberation, and after having consulted counsel, were convinced that a settlement of the whole matter by compromise would be for the best interest of the town. We therefore agreed to a compromise, subject to the approval of the Supreme Judicial Court. The agreement was submitted, and a final decree has been made confirming the compromise.

The agreement was as follows : —

That after the payment of the expenses of administration and counsel fees, and all legitimate expenses appertaining to the settlement of said estate, and after the payment to the town of Easton of the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500) in trust, the income thereof to expend by the Board of Selectmen as they deem proper, in the maintenance and orderly keeping of the lot of Hiram P. Drake, and the lot of his father, Phineas Drake, in the burying ground or cemetery in said Easton known as the Village Cemetery, forever.

That the remainder be divided into three equal parts, one of which parts shall be paid to the town of Easton, another of said equal parts shall be paid unto Lemira Ann Drake, and the remaining equal part shall be paid unto the guardians of the minor children of Hiram Stafford Drake ; provided that the sum paid to said parties respectively shall not be less than ten thousand dollars.

The town of Easton is to hold the said one third part in trust for the following purposes and object : —

To invest, reinvest, and change the investment of said fund, and to collect the rents, profits, and income therefrom, and to apply, from time to time, the whole or so much of said income as the town may deem proper to the care, repair, and ordinary keeping forever of the burying grounds and cemeteries, and the graves and monuments therein in said Easton, and then for the education of poor boys and girls of said town.

The Selectmen have received from the executor of the will the sum of five hundred dollars, above referred to, and the further sum of ten thousand six hundred eighty-five dollars and seventy-five cents, which they will turn over to the town.

We are further informed that the right of the town to expend the income from this trust fund is limited to such cemeteries and burying-grounds as the town is authorized to take care of.

We are also informed that this trust is vested in and under the direction and control of the town, and that the town has a right to name the poor boys and girls who are to receive the benefits, if any, from this trust.

We recommend to appropriate : —

For schools, school-houses, repairs, text-books and supplies, see school committee report.

support of poor,	\$7,000 00
roads and bridges,	4,000 00
clearing roads of snow,	500 00
conveyance of scholars to High School,	1,000 00
town officers' bills,	1,600 00
incidentals,	1,500 00
discount on taxes,	1,800 00

HIRAM WILLIAMS,
 GEORGE COPELAND,
 HENRY W. HEATH,
Selectmen.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN EASTON IN 1892.

DATE.	NAME OF CHILD.	SEX.	NAMES OF PARENTS.
Jan. 4	Andrew Phillips Harvey . .	M.	Charles A. and Alice C.
" 5	Bartholomew Conroy . . .	M.	Peter and Kate.
" 8	Raphael W. Mirley . . .	M.	William H. and Teresa J.
" 8	Walter Edgar Ericsson . .	M.	Charles and Anna C.
" 10	Frank George Dahlborg . .	M.	Gustaf and Christina.
" 10	Anna Josephine Lynch . . .	F.	Cornelius and Mary.
" 11	Regina Elizabeth Johnson .	F.	Borje and Lena.
" 11	Ronald L. Craven	M.	Thomas and Mary.
" 20	Esther Dorothy Anderson .	F.	John and Sophia.
" 20	Leonard Sanford Buck . . .	M.	Sanford B. and Clara H.
" 21	Herbert Lewis Newcomb . .	M.	George E. and Anna M.
" 23	William Evan Jones	M.	Evan and Mary.
" 24	Caroline Mason Phillips . .	F.	Oren C. and Jane.
" 30	Hilda Charlotte Boteen . .	F.	John and Charlotte.
" 31	James McAnar	M.	Anthony and Ellen.
Feb. 4	Margaret Mary Downey . .	F.	Patrick and Anna.
" 7	— Smith	M.	Thomas and Anna.
" 9	Mary Amelia Anderson . .	F.	Amil and Mary.
" 17	Inez Aurelia Ghen	F.	Norman A. and Delia L.
" 20	Lawrence Southard	M.	Louis C. and Nellie C.
" 21	Maud Agnes Weatherbee . .	F.	Thomas M. C. and Emily.
" 24	Jeannette Darling	F.	Lucius and Jennie
" 25	Walter Leavitt Currier . .	M.	Frank M. and Mary Etta.
Mar. 13	Gustaf H. L. Anderson . .	M.	Gustaf L. and Anna C.
" 13	Clarence J. Ervin	M.	John 3d and Elizabeth.
" 13	Clifford E. Ervin	M.	ohn 3d and Elizabeth.
" 16	Joseph Maloy	M.	Michael and Elizabeth.
" 17	— Gies	M.	Henry and Sophia.
Apr. 1	James Harry Burke	M.	Thomas and Hannah.
" 2	Axel Siegfred Anderson . .	M.	Abraham and Bernardina
" 6	Ruth Emily Shipe	F.	Frank A. and Nellie.
" 6	Susan Mary Drew	F.	Dennison W. & Mary E.
" 7	Dorothy Ella Wade	F.	James C. and Nella May.
" 10	Linus Alexis Lundgren . .	M.	John and Mary.
" 11	Louis William Pierson . .	M.	Frank and Tilda.
" 12	Elizabeth Louise Wales . .	F.	Edward Louis & Etta F.
" 15	James Currivan	M.	Michael and Mary.
" 18	James Leon Hammond . . .	M.	James and Etta.
" 20	Mary Alice Keith	F.	Thomas B. and Ella L.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN EASTON IN 1892. — *Continued.*

DATE.	NAME OF CHILD.	SEX.	NAMES OF PARENTS
Apr. 24	Verne Leroy Rice	M.	George and Alice.
" 30	Mary Sweeney	F.	Dennis H. and Lizzie G.
" 30	Ellen Josephine Anderson	F.	Charles and Sophia J.
May 4	Ruth Robinson	F.	William and Anna F.
" 6	Dora Wentworth	F.	Theodore F. and Dora.
" 8	William S. H. Sherman	M.	James H. and Harriet E.
" 13	Margaret Lucinda Hervey	F.	William and Mary L.
" 18	Edward Carlton Hayward	M.	Edw. B. and Mary Ann.
" 19	Hilda Maria Lundgren	F.	August and Hannah.
" 19	Ralph Dexter Washburn	M.	Samuel D. and Cora B.
" 19	Timothy Joseph Sullivan	M.	Patrick and Hannah.
" 28	Bertha Reynolds	F.	John M. and Martha E.
" 29	Kenneth B. Watts	M.	Elmer E. and Jennie M.
June 2	Florence P. Williams	F.	Monroe and Ida M.
" 3	Ellie Aubrey Gibbs	M.	George A. and Hattie E.
" 3	Margaret Riley	F.	Cornelius and Johanna.
" 3	Bridget Murphy	F.	Patrick and Julia.
" 4	Minnie Gertrude Jones	F.	Edward M. and Addie A.
" 10	Mildred Lundgren	F.	Emma Lundgren.
" 13	Ellen Frances Spillane	F.	Maurice and Katie.
" 13	Frank W. Christian	M.	John and Ermina.
" 15	Josephine F. Hanson	F.	Oliver and Ellen.
" 18	Gertrude I. White	F.	Frank A. and Mattie M.
" 21	Charles L. Britton	M.	Leroy F. and Sarah F.
" 29	Herbert Thomas Heath	M.	Amasa C. and Lydia W.
July 4	— Riley	F.	Michael and Hannah.
" 5	John Charles Holmes	M.	Henry and Anna.
" 6	Agnes Elizabeth Sangren	F.	John and Anna.
" 7	Charles M. Wade	M.	Frank C. and Carrie E.
" 7	James Wells	M.	Orion W. and Alice A.
" 15	Ruth Quinn	F.	Frederick and Elizabeth.
" 15	Mildred Hoyt Spooner	F.	Ernest L. and Myrtie A.
" 18	Bernard Michael Nolan	M.	Peter and Sarah.
" 23	Donald P. Cunningham	M.	John T. and Mary A.
" 25	Agnes Mary Simpson	F.	Philip, Jr., and Mary.
" 29	William Everett Snow	M.	William C. and Mary V.
" 30	Elizabeth Dockendoff	F.	John S. and Melissa.
Aug. 9	Ruth Eva Geddes	F.	George and Isabella.
" 19	Thomas Patrick Long	M.	John and Winnifred B.
" 24	Alton Gustaf Ericsson	M.	Conrad and Mary.
" 24	Anna Gertrude Ericsson	F.	Conrad and Mary.
" 26	Flossie Smith	F.	Charles and Ida.
Sept. 5	Arthur Nolan	M.	John and Elizabeth.
" 13	Viola Antonia Widell	F.	Charles E. and Clara C.
" 15	Louise Lilian Ohmert	F.	Karl and Lilian.
" 17	Mary Elizabeth Thompson	F.	Horace G. and Annie E.
" 21	Arthur Orrin Heath	M.	Charles and Blenda.
" 22	Helen H. S. Cook	F.	Charles and Charlotte.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN EASTON IN 1892. — *Continued.*

DATE.	NAME OF CHILD.	SEX.	NAMES OF PARENTS.
Sept. 22	Carrie E. Z. Larsson . . .	F.	August and Anna B.
" 24	Henry G. N. Swanson . . .	M.	Charles F. and Anna.
" 27	— Dean	F.	Nelson C. and Agnes.
" 29	John Seigfred Nilsson . . .	M.	August and Amelia.
" 30	Chester William Benoit . .	M.	David and Ida D.
Oct. 9	Lewis Francis O'Keeffe . .	M.	Joseph P. and Mary Ann.
" 9	Ralph Gilman Mutchmore .	M.	Arthur and Sophia.
" 10	— Smith	M.	Sam'l L. and Florence H.
" 11	Grace Lillian Ramsdell . .	F.	Fred and Mary.
" 13	Beatrice Sarah Middleton .	F.	Francis and Josephine H.
" 16	Harold Livingston Grant .	M.	James and Jessie.
" 18	Joseph Flynn	M.	Joseph K. and Agnes.
" 26	— Swift	F.	Edward B. and Mary J.
" 26	— Johnson	F.	Andrew and Clara.
" 27	Abbie R. Nystrom	F.	John F. and Minnie T.
Nov. 8	Arthur Wilfred Randall . .	M.	Arthur and Ella.
" 9	Sybil Edith Allen	F.	Fred A. and Edith W.
" 18	Walter Smith	M.	Thomas and Anna.
" 22	Nellie Alice Hoagland . . .	F.	Andrew and Anna.
" 23	Theresa Gertrude Kelly . .	F.	Daniel and Margaret.
" 23	Charles Henry Rollins . . .	M.	George J. and Grace J.
" 26	James Desmond	M.	Michael and Julia.
" 27	Mary Burke	F.	Jeremiah and Mary Ann.
" 28	James Clonan	M.	John J. and Catherine.
Dec. 1	Katie Welch	F.	Daniel and Mary.
" 13	— Ebbs	F.	Edward and Mary.
" 17	John Francis Healey	M.	Edward J. and Mary J.
" 20	Christopher Yoko	M.	O'Brine and Mary.
" 22	Anna Erusz	F.	Anton and Anna.
" 24	Patrick Henry Brickley . .	M.	John and Ellen Maria.
" 27	Edward Joseph McNamara .	M.	William A. and Mary A.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN EASTON IN 1892.

DATE.		NAMES AND RESIDENCES.
Jan.	9.	Gustaf L. Anderson and Anna C. Wiberg, both of Easton.
"	13.	Fred K. Belcher and Georgiana Stone, both of Easton.
"	25.	James Pyper and Elsie Cruickshank, both of Easton.
"	26.	Fred E. Nason and Sarah F. Lackey, both of Easton.
Feb.	20.	Charles E. Widell and Clara C. Jackson, both of Easton.
"	27.	Charles N. Heath and Blenda T. Johnson, both of Easton.
"	27.	William Harvey, of Raynham, and Mary L. Fountain, of Easton.
March	30.	Monroe Williams, of Easton, and Ida M. Packard, of Brockton.
"	31.	James E. Howard and Flora M. Wilson, both of Easton.
April	5.	Conrad Ericsson, of Easton, and Mary Bosworth, of W. Bridgewater.
"	21.	Mary F. Burnham, of Stoughton, and Etta Dickerman, of Easton.
May	5.	Harry S. Dowden, of Rhode Island, and Amanda F. Berry, of Easton.
"	12.	Oliver A. Day, Jr., and Annie L. Fitton, both of Easton.
"	18.	David H. Shields, of W. Bridgewater, and Julia A. Daley, of Easton.
June	6.	Herman L. Leonard and Alice L. Eddy, both of Easton.
"	8.	Henry Holt Peabody, of Pittsford, Vt., and Hattie A. Berry, of Easton.
"	29.	Edward F. Manning, of Easton, and Hattie M. Fales, of Norton.
"	30.	John S. McDavitt, of Easton, and Nellie Mulkern, of Mansfield.
July	25.	J. Edward Willis, of Easton, and Mabel G. West, of W. Bridgewater.
Aug.	8.	Frank B. Andrews and Hattie E. Harwood, both of Sharon.
Sept.	7.	James M. O'Hayre, of Rockland, and Elizabeth F. McDonald, of Easton.
"	8.	Orace T. Keene and Clara J. Washburn, both of Easton.
"	13.	James M. Blake and Margaret Dineen, both of Easton.
"	14.	Delmont A. Miller, of Easton, and Lizzie May Hopkins, of Milton.
"	15.	George T. Boyle and Mary F. Murphy, both of Easton.

DATE.	NAMES AND RESIDENCES.
Sept.	19. George H. Taber and Eleanor A. West, both of Easton.
"	20. Richard Russell and Margaret Reynolds, both of Easton.
"	28. Timothy Riordan and Hannah Burke, both of Easton.
Oct.	6. Ulric Miller, of Holbrook, and Annie Connell, of Easton.
"	18. William C. Mackay, of Easton, and Nellie M. Fletcher, of Maine.
"	23. Daniel W. Burrill, of Easton, and Mrs. Mary J. Harris, of W. Bridgewater.
Nov.	5. Karl J. Anderson and Selma G. Gustafson, both of Easton.
"	13. Lysander F. Westgate, of Wareham, and Annie M. Lahey, of New Bedford.
"	15. William C. Crosby and Mary Weeks, both of Easton.
"	16. John J. McCarthy and Mary Dineen, both of Easton.
"	17. John H. Chesley and Charlotte Shaler, both of Easton.
"	22. Thomas H. McEvoy and Nellie G. McCarthy, both of Easton.
"	23. Herman H. Meyers and Bertha M. Goward, both of Easton.
"	30. Luther E. Swift, of Easton, and Nellie A. Skinner, of Mansfield.
Dec.	7. Augustus Hopkins and Lillie A. Tinkham, both of Easton.
"	21. Oscar Holmes and Ida Eliasson, both of Easton.
"	25. Elmer Staples, of Brockton, and Jennie C. Smith, of Easton.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN EASTON IN 1892.

Date.	Name.	Age.			Cause of Death.
		Years.	Months.	Days.	
Jan. 1	Alice McMenamy	2	2	28	Diphtheria.
" 2	William H. Keenan . . .	54	5	10	Bronchitis.
" 3	Olive J. White	66	1	..	Pneumonia.
" 9	Abby D. Goward	77	6	2	Pneumonia.
" 10	James Pomeroy	..	..	16	Inanition.
" 10	Elbridge T. Tune	22	3	12	Pneumonia.
" 12	Richard Joyce	..	2	13	Convulsions.
" 16	Frank S. Hagland	..	8	3	Chronic Bronchitis.
" 17	Macy Record	83	8	26	Influenza.
" 21	Emma J. Mack	42	..	..	Pneumonia.
" 23	Mary A. Smart	85	8	..	Pneumonia.
" 21	Hannah Cahill	70	..	..	Capillary Bronchitis.
" 29	Margaret Nolan	66	..	..	Peritonitis.
" 31	James McNamara	..	..	1	Inanition.
Feb. 2	Amy Chase	93	10	14	Senile Debility.
" 3	Sally Smith	75	4	8	Pneumonia.
" 4	Michael Beirnes	76	..	4	Asthma and Bronchitis.
" 6	Patrick Smith	70	..	..	Influenza.
" 21	Abigail B. Russell	74	5	12	Heart Disease.
" 24	Ruth E. Newcomb	62	..	..	Acute Gastritis.
" 27	Mary A. Spencer	46	5	2	Pneumonia.
Mch. 1	Dennis Lynch	18	3	14	Accident.
" 24	Daniel H. Ames	81	7	..	Old Age.
" 29	— Ervin*	..	..	..	Stillborn.
Apr. 4	Mary T. Keith	72	3	17	Apoplexy.
" 7	Hardin W. Eddy	1	1	28	Accidental Burning.
" 10	Angeline Woodbury	77	1	13	Pneumonia.
" 23	Patrick Hughes	63	..	..	Heart Disease.
" 24	Hefflon S. Smith	..	..	..	Phthisis Pulmonalis.
" 29	Charlotte A. Pope	..	..	..	Phthisis Pulmonalis.
" 30	Clarence A. Francis	6	2	22	Diphtheria.
May 3	Nils P. Anderson	29	..	..	Acute Tuberculosis.
" 5	Margaret G. Hederig . . .	..	6	10	Inflammation of bowels.
" 14	Frederic R. Pierson . . .	1	7	14	Accidental Scalding.
" 23	Timothy G. Marshall . . .	86	..	29	Old Age.
" 26	August Marlburg	35	..	..	Paralysis.
June 6	James Patterson	9	..	..	Convulsions.
" 7	Peter O. Berry	41	10	..	Consumption.
" 20	William G. Reed	79	8	20	Uræmia.
July 1	Mary E. Slattery	13	5	18	Bright's Disease.
" 4	Hannah Riley	41	..	..	Childbirth.

* Female.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN EASTON IN 1892. — *Continued.*

Date.	Name.	Age.			Cause of Death.
		Years.	Months.	Days.	
July 10	Annie A. Hinckley . . .	50	..	25	Apoplexy.
" 13	Maria H. Randall . . .	73	8	..	Paralysis.
" 21	Helen M. Crockett . . .	3	10	27	Heart Disease.
" 28	Timothy F. Healey . . .	18	..	..	Consumption.
Aug. 4	George W. Andrews . . .	58	3	8	Dysentery.
" 8	Vida M. Daymude . . .	15	10	5	Phthisis Pulmonalis.
" 30	James Currivan	..	4	16	Enteritis.
Sept. 4	Jane Fitzpatrick . . .	77	5	17	Heart Disease.
" 12	Joseph G. Mayall . . .	..	3	4	Spinal Meningitis.
" 20	Dency W. Williams . . .	70	10	10	Injury.
" 27	— Dean*	..	..	$\frac{1}{24}$	Inanition.
Oct. 2	Vida S. Anderson . . .	..	9	8	Pertussis.
" 3	Bertyle Anderson . . .	50	..	..	Phthisis Pulmonalis.
" 2	Thomas H. Dean . . .	72	10	13	Heart Disease.
" 10	John F. Dean	48	2	29	Apoplexy.
" 13	Susan R. Hill	2	4	..	Membranous Croup.
" 21	Grace Roberts	62	5	14	Exhaustion.
" 27	Ermer F. Burns	3	1	6	Diphtheretic Croup.
Nov. 4	Ellen M. Dailey . . .	18	9	10	Heart Disease.
" 10	Orcelia Willis	50	10	16	Carcinoma.
" 18	Hilda Johnson	8	10	..	Phthisis.
" 21	Sarah W. Keith	52	6	3	Cancer.
Dec. 1	Mary E. Lyons	25	10	17	Phthisis Pulmonalis.
" 3	Daniel J. Collins . . .	21	11	12	Acute Encephalitis.
" 3	Johanna Hayes	73	8	16	Heart Disease.
" 12	Dennis J. Sheehan . . .	30	9	11	Phthisis Pulmonalis.
" 19	Elmer L. Cramer . . .	1	2	26	General Paralysis.
" 24	Daniel Cahill	70	..	..	Exhaustion from burns.
" 25	Julia Proctor	22	10	12	Phthisis.

* Female.

OWNERS AND KEEPERS OF DOGS.

LICENSED IN EASTON FROM MAY 1, 1892, TO MAY 1, 1893.

Andrews, Charles H.	Blake, James M.
Andrews, George H.	Butler, Michael. (2).
Anderson, Andrew B.	Blake, John
Alger, Frank W. (2).	Blood, Eugene W.
Andrews, George W.	Buck, Henry
Alger, Horace H. (2).	
Ames, Oliver, 2d (4).	Carr, Frank
Ames, Hobart (3).	Callahan, Eugene
Ames, William H. (3).	Cahill, John (3).
Ahearn, James F.	Cole, Harry
Anderson, A. F.	Copeland, George (2).
Allen, Edward.	Coughlin, Michael
	Collins, Tisdale D.
Burke, Jeremiah	Cummings, Otis W.
Blood, Luther	Carpenter, David S.
Blood, Ernest L.	Connell, Fred
Berry, Leavitt L.	Cruickshank, James
Buck, Dennis S.	Collins, Daniel
Belcher, George C.	Cogswell, Geo. B.
Bailey, James H.	Connell, Dennis
Britton, Fred	Carr, John.
Birnie, Adam	Costello, Patrick
Bates, Amos M.	Currvan, Michael
Benson, Lars.	Carr, Louis
Bowdoin, Minerva	Cahill, James W.
Belcher, Eliza.	Callahan, John F.
Belcher, Edw. F.	Canegaly, A. E.

Cotter, Cornelius
 Calef, Joseph W.
 Coughlin, Michael
 Cunningham, John
 Curran, William J.

Desmond, Michael
 Donavan, James
 Donahue, Daniel P.
 Donavan, William H.
 Driscoll, T. W.
 Donahue, Dennis J.
 Dermody, James
 Day, Oliver A.
 Dean, Katie E.
 Drew, W. P.
 Drake, William E.
 Dineen, D. J.
 Drake, Harry W. (2).
 Drake, Hattie F.
 Dean, John F. (2).
 Donahue, Thomas
 Dahlquist, Charles R.
 Diamond, James
 De Witt, Harry
 Drake, Harriet
 Dailey, J.
 Darling, Theodore

Ervin, John
 Ervin, William

Ervin, Robert
 Eddy, Frank J.

Furlong, Michael
 Fisher, E. N.
 Field, Roswell E.
 Flannagan, John
 Fish, Cyrus
 Fisher, Peter
 Fagan, Philip

Galvin, John
 Grady, A. N.
 Galligan, B. F.
 Goward, Edwin T.
 Goward, Bertha
 Gardner, Ira
 Grant, James (2).
 Gray, William
 Goward, J. C.
 Grant, James, Jr.
 Gooch, A. F. (2).
 Gibbs, Bertie F.
 Goodman, Kate
 Gooch, Alton L.
 Goward, Clarence N. (2).
 Gooch, A. E.

Hills, William
 Howard, Lucius
 Howard, George T.

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| Howard, Thomas R. | Keenan, Luella F. |
| Howard, Roger S. | Knapp, Charles A. |
| Howard, Fred L. | Kelly, John H. |
| Howard, Henry L. | Kennedy, Geo. W. |
| Heley, William | Kennedy, Edw. H. |
| Howes, Samuel J. | Keith, George L. |
| Howes, W. N. | |
| Heath, Lottie M. | Ladd, T. F. |
| Heath, Henry W. | Lothrop, Charles F. |
| Hope, Mrs. | Lyons, Daniel J. (2). |
| Holbrook, Willis P. | Leonard, Louisa E. |
| Harvey, Charles A. | Lynch, Michael |
| Harvey, Cornelius | Leary, Patrick |
| Hanlon, Fred | Leary, John |
| Hayward, Edw. B. | Lindquist, Oliver |
| Hayward, Edw. R. | Ladd, C. T. |
| Hayward, N. M. D. | Lyons, Joseph |
| Heath, Olive M. | Lake, Jeremy |
| Harlow, Hugh | Lackey, George A. |
| Homer, Francis | Lincoln, John F. |
| Hall, Samuel W. | Lincoln, Orin F., Jr. |
| Higginbottom, C. W. | Lunn, George F. |
| Hammond, James | Lothrop, Mrs. Aug. W. |
| | Leonard, Otis R. |
| Joyce, Jeremiah | Leonard, E. S. |
| Jones, Marcus E. (2). | Leonard, J. H. |
| Jones, A. H. | Leshure, Charles E. |
| Johnson, Charles S. | Long, John. |
| Johnson, Albert. | |
| Jones, Walter E. | Mitchell, H. G. |
| | Mitchell, Geo. W. |
| Keith, F. Sherwood | Marshall, C. Frank |

McNabb, Frank
 McCourt, Barney
 Manning, H. N.
 Manning, Linus B.
 Marshall, Harry
 McMullen, Charles.
 Mitchell, Celia D.
 Murphy, John
 Murphy, Patrick
 Moynehan, John
 McGinty, William
 Miller, Delmont A.
 McGlinicy, Peter
 Mitchell, D. W.
 Mackay, James R. (2).
 Makepeace, Chas. E.
 Mullen, Hugh
 McKean, Robert
 Mulhair, James
 Morris, James
 Morse, E. J. W.
 Monk, Charles.
 Murphy, Joseph F.
 Morrell, Fred
 McDonald, John W.
 Murray, Alexander
 Mayall, Jabez
 Maliff, Frank.
 Mulligan, William J.
 McCombe, Wm. J.
 Manchester J. H.
 McMenamy, Andrew

McAnar, Anthony
 McEntee, John J.
 Newcomb, Joseph G.
 Newcomb, George E.
 Nason, Fred E.
 Nystrom, John
 O'Keefe, Samuel J. (3).
 O'Neil, Dennis
 O'Connor, Patrick
 O'Connell, David, A.
 Packard, Clayton
 Packard, Fred.
 Pratt, A. F.
 Phillips, Lewis F.
 Pratt, Amos G.
 Phillips, Oren C.
 Pratt, Edith W.
 Pratt, Frank C.
 Phillips, Henry A.
 Phelan, J. A.
 Quinn, George E.
 Randall, Oscar B.
 Rice, Wm. P.
 Riordan, Murty
 Reddy, Patrick
 Riordan, Michael F.
 Randall, Daniel L.

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| Rice, Harry A. | Shaw, Charles H. |
| Riordan, Cornelius | Staples, Wm. E. |
| Randall, Nathan | Staples, Mrs. Jennie F. |
| Reed, Charles H. | Sisson, Alfred A. |
| Randall, L. H. | Sweeney, John, 2d. |
| Riordan, John S. | Spillane, Stephen |
| Randall, Arthur | Schindler, E. C. |
| Rollins, George J. | Schindler, Joseph |
| Rankin, James | Sheehan, Thomas |
| Ripley, Frank | Sweeney, Dennis H. |
| Reddy, James | |
| Robinson, Wm. A. | Tyler, Della |
| Robinson, William | Thayer, Herbert F. |
| Riordan, Dennis F. | Thayer, H. Percy |
| Rice, Ernest L. | Taber, James C. |
| Riordan, John F. | Taylor, Jenner B. |
| | Tallman, Nelson I. |
| Smith, George R. (2). | Tileston, F. W. (2). |
| Smith, Dewelley G. | Twohig, William |
| Smith, Lewis H. | Twohig, William J. |
| Smith, Elijah | Taylor, Frank C. (3). |
| Smith, Charles N. | Tune, William E. |
| Smith, John H. | |
| Smith, George S. | Warren, Dennie G. |
| Smith, Luther F. (2). | Williams, Thomas E. |
| Smith, Thomas | Welch, Walter |
| Stone, E. Minot | Williams, H. M. |
| Scott, Charles | Wilber, Lemuel K. |
| Snell, Lorestan | Whitten, Wilmarth |
| Sherman, J. H. | Webster, Forest M. |
| Sylvester, Geo. M. | Webster, William B. |
| Sisson, Herbert C. | Webster, Clinton |

Webster, Clinton B.
Willis, Martin D.
Williams, Frank H.
Wilde, Geo. F. F. (2).
White, Grace
Woodford, A. A.
Williams, H. H.
Withington, Geo. G.
Wilson, Arthur G.
Williams, Monroe (2).
White, Fred.
White, Gardner
Wells, Mrs. Celia J.

Watts, James
Walsh, Edmund
Watts, Elmer E.
Wells, Fred L.
Willis J. E.
Willis, Fred L. (2).
Welch, Daniel,
Wells, Wallace
Wade, Hosea A.
Wills, Frank L.
Whitten, Francis
Willis, Martin H.
Williams, J. Bradford

TREASURER'S REPORT.

THE TOWN OF EASTON *in account with*
 GEORGE G. WITHINGTON, *Treasurer.*

Cr. CASH RECEIVED.

Balance on hand, Jan. 1, cash,	\$8,711 72
Uncollected taxes,	1,400 00
	\$10,111 72
Assessors' tax lists, 1892,	31,334 33
Corporation tax balance for 1891,	369 34
" " " 1892,	15,041 16
National Bank tax,	2,490 72
Support and burial of State paupers,	31 00
Reimbursement of State aid paid in 1891,	1,429 00
" indigent soldiers' aid paid in	
1891,	193 00
Proceeds of loans in anticipation of taxes,	12,496 67
Income of Ames Bequests,	6,351 59
License,	1 00
Sale of four Histories of Easton,	20 00
Fines from 1st District Court of Bristol,	258 00
" keeper of jail,	6 13
Dog fund,	598 22
Tuition in High School,	54 00
Sale of furnace, credit of School Dept.,	10 00
" books, etc., "	51 33
" oxen, " Road "	150 00
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	\$80,997 21

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$80,997 21
Aid to poor, repaid,	48 00
Town of Lancaster, 1891 and 1892,	232 50
“ Stoughton, “	17 00
“ Norton, 1891, .	14 00

\$81,308 71

Dr. CASH PAID.

State tax,	\$3,902 50
National Bank tax,	286 62
County tax,	6,767 14
Commonwealth on account of licenses,	25
Loans in anticipation of taxes,	12,500 00
Discount and interest on loans,	200 86
“ on tax lists,	1,880 06
Superintendent of schools,	1,083 33
Teachers' wages,	12,537 00
Care of school-houses,	1,002 91
Fuel for schools,	818 00
School supplies and sundries,	935 96
Text-book account,	502 39
Conveyance of pupils,	931 64
School-house repairs,	652 32
Heating apparatus for school-house No. 1,	360 00
School furniture,	494 95
Expended on school-house yard, No. 7,	2 25
Insurance premiums,	69 00
Support of poor outside of Almshouse,	5,233 25
“ “ Almshouse,	1,293 38
G. B. Cogswell, M. D., services to poor,	50 00
F. E. Tilden, “ “ “ “ “	50 00
D. L. Randall, “ “ “ “ “	50 00
T. H. McCarthy, “ “ “ “	50 00

Amount carried forward, \$51,653 81

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$51,653 81
Post No. 52; G. A. R.,	150 00
Town officers' bills,	1,619 82
Barney McCourt at Truant School,	14 35
Coleman Riley, " " "	24 57
Warden of Almshouse,	447 10
S. M. Rennie, Truant Officer,	75 00
" " fire ward,	21 50
E. R. Hayward, "	32 38
Patrick Costello, care of lockup,	18 00
Record books,	7 75
H. J. Fuller, legal advice,	\$8 00
services in Dist. Court,	40 00
	48 00
Liquor Prosecutions,	75 00
Patrick Costello, District Court fees,	228 52
S. M. Rennie, " " "	117 51
F. A. Conant, " " "	20 44
Postage, stationery, express, etc.,	41 53
Printing Town Reports for 1891,	149 48
Miscellaneous printing,	110 45
Collecting District Tax,	86 75
Repairs of highways,	9,647 83
Planting shade trees on highways,	1,177 33
Snow bills,	276 11
Physicians' returns of births,	19 25
Undertakers' " " deaths,	19 50
Recording births, marriages, and deaths,	74 30
L. L. Berry, inspecting cattle,	15 10
Paying State aid,	18 73
Town Hall expenses,	49 81
Taxes abated,	201 52
Crossing on Williams Street,	63 26
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	\$66,504 70

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$66,504 70
Water rates,	20 00
Howes's. Express,	11 40
Sealer of weights and measures for 1891,	30 00
Expense of defending Brockton sewage case,	3,981 29
Pumps and wells,	28 00
Inspectors and tellers at State election,	58 00
Rubber stamp for use of registrars,	1 00
William King, land damage,	100 00
Robert Hamilton, " "	100 00
Printing diphtheria signs,	1 60
B. F. Macomber, painting Almshouse,	122 00

State Aid, Chap. 301, Acts of 1879 : —

Thomas Donahue,	\$48 00
Geo. H. Drake,	48 00
Peter and Mary Fisher,	102 00
James Harris,	48 00
Chas. H. Hersome, 4 months,	6 00
David Howard, 9 months,	36 00
Geo. A. and Frances Lackey,	96 00
Charles F. Lothrop,	36 00
James H. Lashure,	60 00
John W. McDonald,	48 00
Thomas Murray,	48 00
Chas. E. Miller, 1 month,	4 00
Simeon A. Randall,	54 00
Ezra G. Whittemore,	48 00
Monroe F. Williams,	48 00
Cyrus and Orcelia Willis,	77 33
Arietta F. Andrews, 3 months,	12 00
Ann Conlin,	48 00

Amounts carried forward, \$867 33 \$70,957 99

<i>Amounts brought forward,</i>	\$867 33	\$70,957 99
Amanda Drake,	48 00	
Caroline F. Hill,	48 00	
Annie Haney,	48 00	
Sally Henrys,	48 00	
Adelaide A. Humphrey, 2 months,	6 00	
Eliza A. Hobart, 9 months,	36 00	
Eleanor C. Johnston, 4 months,	16 00	
Sarah J. Keenan, 10 months,	40 00	
Mary J. Lothrop,	48 00	
Margaret Mulhearn,	48 00	
Mary McEvoy,	48 00	
Ellen McGuire,	48 00	
Eldora F. Morse,	48 00	
Charlotte A. Pope, 4 months,	16 00	
Mary Richards,	24 00	
Laura A. Smith,	48 00	
Harriet E. Waldron,	48 00	
Celia J. Wells,	24 00	
Lydia Willis,	48 00	
		\$1,605 33
Indigent Soldiers' Aid.		
Hiram F. French, 4 months,	\$24 00	
James F. Gooch,	60 00	
Joseph Lee,	96 00	
James McCready,	88 00	
		\$268 00
Balance: Uncollected taxes,	\$1,606 13	
Cash on hand,	6,871 26	
		8,477 39
		\$81,308 71

FINANCIAL CONDITION, DEC. 31, 1892.

ASSETS.

Cash on hand,	\$6,871 26
Due from S. M. Rennie, Constable, uncollected	
Poll taxes for 1891,	92 32
Due from Patrick Costello, Constable, uncollected	
Poll taxes for 1892,	300 00
Unpaid taxes in hands of Collector,	1,213 81
Due from Commonwealth,	
For State aid,	\$1,605 33
For indigent soldiers' aid,	134 00
	1,739 33
Due from city of Taunton,	2 50
" " town of Raynham,	64 20
" " " Norton,	29 00
" " " Marshfield,	9 75
	\$10,322 17
Liabilities, none.	

GEO. G. WITHINGTON,

Treasurer.

AUDITORS' REPORT.

EASTON, MASS., Feb. 6, 1892.

The subscribers, auditors of the accounts of the town of Easton for the year ending Dec. 31, 1892, have examined the accounts of Geo. G. Withington, its treasurer, and have found the same correctly cast and properly vouched; and we further certify that the treasurer has verified to us that the cash balance of \$6,871.26 due from him to the town, is in his possession.

GEO. W. KENNEDY. } *Auditors.*
WILLIAM J. TWOHIG. }

REPORT OF THE OAKES AMES MEMORIAL HALL ASSOCIATION.

Balance on hand, Jan. 1, 1892,	\$356 37
Received from rent of halls for lectures and other entertainments,	653 00
Received from Paul Dean Lodge for use of gasolene,	25 00
Received of Paul Dean Lodge for rent of rooms (as per lease),	1 00
	\$1,035 37

EXPENDITURES.

Paid Janitor,	\$178 50	
“ for gasolene,	93 50	
“ “ coal,	99 37	
“ “ repairs,	177 06	
“ “ cleaning halls,	5 40	
“ “ labor on grounds,	3 60	
		\$557 43
		\$477 94

I also hold as treasurer, the income on \$2,000 bonds Kansas Pacific Railway Company, which were donated to the trustees, the income of which was to be applied to the insuring the Oakes Ames Memorial Hall and any balance to be applied to repairs.

Balance on hand, Jan. 1, 1892,	\$360 46
Dividends on said bonds,	120 00
Balance of interest,	28 96
	\$509 42
Paid premium of insurance,	75 00
	\$434 42

Insurance on building, \$40,000, expires Oct. 14, 1896, and Feb. 16, 1897.

OLIVER AMES,
Treasurer.

LIST OF JURORS.

AS MADE OUT BY THE SELECTMEN.

Oliver Ames, 2d,	Walter C. King,
Hobart Ames,	Chas. A. Leach,
Geo. H. Andrews,	Peter F. Maliff,
Henry D. Buck,	Isaac L. Miller,
Fred A. Britton,	Edward F. Manning,
John Baldwin,	Alfred F. Pratt,
James M. Blake,	Frank C. Pratt,
Daniel F. Clark,	John M. Pool,
Willis B. Drew,	Langdon H. Randall,
Geo. T. Drake,	Samuel S. Ryder,
Timothy W. Driscoll,	Chas. D. Reed,
Philander W. Fecto,	Geo. W. Sylvester,
Edwin T. Goward,	Chas. D. Simpson,
Wm. E. Goward,	Elijah Smith,
Geo. W. Ghen,	Nelson P. Soule,
Samuel A. Hayward,	A. W. Scott Soule,
Lucius Howard,	James H. Sherman,
Chas. W. Higginbottom,	David B. Tinkham,
Wm. J. Heelon,	Wm. M. Wills,
Chas. W. Hill,	Harris Y. Wilson,
Francis Jackson, Jr.,	Martin H. Willis,
Frank P. Keith,	John Wilson,
George F. King,	Thomas E. Williams,
Geo. L. Kimball,	Lemuel K. Wilber.

JURORS DRAWN IN 1892.

Horace H. Alger,
James M. Belcher,
William T. Belcher,
Hugh Curran,
Charles B. Carr,
John F. Callahan,
Fred E. Gifford,
Henry L. Howard,
Edward R. Hayward,
Samuel K. Kelley,
George A. Lackey,
George E. Lunn,

Daniel C. Lillie,
Patrick Moors,
James B. Manning,
David J. O'Connell,
George J. Rollins,
Lewis H. Smith,
Wm. H. Southworth,
Henry Taylor,
George E. Williams,
Hiram Williams,
John Welch,
William F. White.

TOWN WARRANT.

BRISTOL, SS.

TO PATRICK COSTELLO, *Constable of the town of Easton,
in the County of Bristol, Greeting:*

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are directed to notify the inhabitants of the town of Easton, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in said Easton, on the sixth day of March next, at one o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to act on the following articles:—

1st. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

2d. To see if the town will accept the reports of the Selectmen, Assessors, Overseers of the Poor, Treasurer, Road Commissioners, School Committee, and Superintendent of Schools.

3d. To choose all necessary town officers for the ensuing year, and see if the town will vote to grant licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquors. The vote must be by separate ballot, and must be Yes or No, in answer to the question, "Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town."

4th. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray the town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriations for the same.

5th. To see if the town will raise and appropriate money to pay for conveying such scholars residing outside of District No. 7, as wish to attend High School at North Easton.

6th. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars to be expended under the direction of Post No. 52, G. A. R., in decorating soldiers' graves.

7th. To see if the town will authorize the Treasurer to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

8th. To see if the town will accept the list of jurors as made out by the selectmen.

9th. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof, one at each of the public meeting-houses in said town, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting. Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time of holding said meeting.

HIRAM WILLIAMS,
GEORGE COPELAND,
HENRY W. HEATH,
Selectmen of Easton.

ROAD COMMISSIONERS' REPORT.

TO THE CITIZENS OF EASTON :

The annual report of the receipts and expenditures of the road department, for the year ending Dec. 31, 1892, is herewith submitted.

ROAD DEPARTMENT PROPERTY ON HAND, JANUARY 1, 1893.

4 horses.	3 curry combs.
1 pair oxen.	1 card.
5 horse carts.	A lot derrick tools.
1 ox cart.	3 wrenches.
1 stone rigging.	16 lantern globes.
4 cart harnesses.	1 burning brand.
2 pair trace chains.	1 steel stamp.
4 halters.	4 tie chains.
1 road roller.	5 stone chains.
1 scraper.	5 oil cans.
1 Penock road machine.	7 forks.
1 snow plough.	5 brush scythes.
3 ploughs.	5 snaths.
1 stone drag.	2 sledge hammers.
4 gravel screens.	2 striking hammers.
3 ox yokes.	7 hand drills.
1 grain box.	9 large drills.
1 tool box.	1 drill spoon.
2 whiffletrees.	5 steel wedges.
6 steel bars.	8 picks.
3 axes.	4 pick hoes.

3 hatchets.	2 hoes.
4 feed bags.	6 rakes.
5 water pails.	1 horse blanket.
4 lanterns.	11 shovels.
6 lantern holders.	36 feet 12-inch drain pipe.
4 feed boxes.	126 chestnut posts.
2 horse brushes.	A lot of old iron.
3 mane brushes.	

ROAD MATERIAL MOVED BY TEAMS.

Loads of gravel,	5,158
“ “ stones,	8,903
“ “ crushed stones,	1,098
“ “ filling,	12,400
	27,559

Stone road built, 3,000 feet.

LABOR OF ROAD DEPARTMENT COMPANY.

L. O. Lagarde,	2,620	hours at	25	cents	\$655 00
James Reddy,	2,562	“ “	17½	“	448 31
William Lorden,	2,230	“ “	“	“	390 22
Maurice Fitzgerald,	2,265	“ “	“	“	396 34
Denis Coughlin,	2,303	“ “	“	“	402 99
Andrew Lauzon,	2,272	“ “	“	“	397 56
Martin Williams,	2,054	“ “	“	“	359 41
Patrick Murphy,	2,222	“ “	“	“	388 81
John Barrett,	2,245	“ “	“	“	392 87
Horace Philips,	1,872	“ “	“	“	327 56
J. N. Nelson,	2,257	“ “	“	“	394 94
Charles Scott,	2,151	“ “	“	“	376 36
Michael Kellaher,	2,299	“ “	“	“	402 28

Peter Nolan,	1,923	hours at	17½	cents	\$336 52
Henry Drake,	1,732	" "	"	"	303 08
John Ryan,	1,519	" "	"	"	265 80
A. Bergland,	110	" "	23½	"	25 85
Henry Anderson,	110	" "	17½	"	19 25
August Peterson,	110	" "	"	"	19 25
N. P. Pearson,	17	" "	25	"	4 25
John Ervin,	370	" "	"	"	92 50
Harry Gardner,	310	" "	20	"	62 00
Robert Burrill,	120	" "	17½	"	21 00

\$6,482 15

LABOR OUTSIDE OF ROAD COMPANY.

J. O. Dean, men and team, scraping roads,	\$75 18
Chas. E. Randall, use of team,	37 24
Chas. E. Randall, raking roads,	43 41
Chas. H. Randall,	43 45
Chas. S. Grant,	14 44
Arthur Nickerson,	14 48
C. W. Crowell,	11 24
Wm. A. Watts,	17 68
Frank Britton,	5 21
C. T. Crowell,	6 73
Wm. James,	1 48
Robert W. Bernie, mowing bushes,	59 51
Luther Smith,	27 65
Jerry Buckley,	72 64
David B. Williams,	90 47
Patrick Minton,	20 65
Wm. E. Washburn,	18 72

Amount carried forward, \$560 18

<i>Amount brought forward.</i>	\$560 18
G. H. De Witt, work on guide boards,	5 00
J. O. Dean, " "	3 00
H. L. Howard, work on railings,	29 25
A. Mack, lumber and work on railings,	76 28
G. H. Drake, posts,	1 00
J. J. McCarthy, use of teams and men in road company,	90 45
J. J. McCarthy, use of teams and men outside of road company,	16 35
J. J. McCarthy, carting derrick,	3 00
J. J. McCarthy, carting bridge stones,	25 65
L. F. French, repairing road,	2 00
Wm. J. Hamilton, care of lanterns,	6 90
N. Randall, work on bridge,	2 80
George Rix, work on road,	7 00
J. O. Dean, use of horse and cart,	2 20
	\$831 06

TOOL ACCOUNT.

S. D. Simpson & Son, new cart,	\$85 00
Sortwell, Heinold & Humphrey, saddle pads,	3 60
J. H. Manchester, repairing harnesses,	5 95
G. E. Lincoln, pair of oxen,	175 00
	\$269 55

BLACKSMITHING AND REPAIRS.

S. D. Simpson & Son,	\$162 65
Frank Phelan,	44 34
John H. Dailey,	20 40
W. A. Wheaton,	27 65
J. D. Cameron,	4 20
F. A. Conant,	77 50
	\$336 74

GRAVEL PAID FOR IN 1892.

A. F. Bennett,	402 loads	\$20 10
B. F. Nye,	294 "	14 70
John McEntee,	14 "	70
Jephth. Buck,	187 "	9 35
James Ready,	363 "	18 15
J. S. Drake,	40 "	2 00
Peter McGlinchy,	76 "	3 80
John Mahoney,	60 "	3 00
Wm. Roberts,	386 "	19 30
F. B. Littlefield,	350 "	17 50
Samuel Gilmore,	248 "	12 40
Wm. T. Belcher,	98 "	4 90
		\$125 90

HAY.

F. L. Ames,	\$16 60
F. Middleton,	134 24
L. K. Wilbar,	11 10
L. L. Berry,	126 00
H. C. Sisson,	25 70
Albert Hayward,	6 08
Wade & Sisson,	68 67
Swift Brothers,	20 56
J. C. Goward,	112 60
J. O. Dean Co.,	21 55
\$543 10	

GRAIN.

A. B. Sladen,	\$43 20
Swift Bros.,	8 61
D. J. Dineen,	60 76
J. O. Dean & Co.,	264 54
\$377 11	

SUNDRIES ACCOUNT.

Farrell Foundry and Machine Co., repairs to crusher,	\$26 73
Nightingale & Childs, repairs to crusher,	46 59
Cunningham, Banks & Co., plank for iron bridge,	57 02
J. J. McCarthy, freight and carting, on plank,	5 60
M. S. Buck, use of stable,	6 00
L. L. Berry, " " "	48 00
L. E. Gilmore, use of stable and oxen,	4 09
Frank Middleton, stone account,	83
O. Ames & Sons, " "	17 25
Wade & Sisson, " "	1 60
Swift Brothers, " "	4 75
D. J. Dineen, " "	5 20
Robert Hamilton, stone for walls,	50 00
C. Dailey, street crossings,	62 26
J. C. Goward, coal at crusher,	4 17
J. O. Dean & Co., coal at crusher, 1891,	5 00
" " " powder, caps, and fuse, 1891,	31 00
" " " " " " "	9 00
" " " paint and painting railing,	4 49
" " " 468 lbs. iron for railing,	9 36
" " " 23 ft. lumber " "	46
Howes' Express, on chain,	25
S. B. Ripley, drain pipe and laying same, 1891,	16 25
J. C. Goward, drain pipe,	63 53
J. O. Dean & Co., 50 ft. drain pipe at R. Hamilton's,	7 50
J. O. Dean & Co., 20 ft. drain pipe at C. Marshall's,	4 60
J. O. Dean & Co., 68 ft., drain pipe at J. Marshall's, 1891,	11 36
J. O. Dean & Co., 60 ft. drain pipe at Great Swamp, 1891,	60 00

J. O. Dean & Co., 40 ft. drain pipe at W. C. Howard's, 1891,	\$16 00
J. O. Dean & Co., 210 ft. drain pipe at J. W. Dickerman's, 1891,	71 50
	\$650 39

RECAPITULATION.

EXPENDITURES.

Labor by road department company,	\$6,482 15
“ outside of road department company,	831 06
Tool account,	269 55
Blacksmithing and repairs account,	336 74
Gravel paid for,	125 90
Hay bought,	543 10
Grain bought,	377 11
Sundries account,	650 39
	\$9,616 00

RECEIPTS.

Income from Ames bequest,	\$3,655 00
Town appropriation for repairs,	4,000 00
“ “ “ tools,	400 00
“ “ “ Sheridan Street,	350 00
“ “ “ Foundry “	845 00
“ “ “ Pleasant “	500 00
“ “ “ street crossings,	50 00
Received for pair of oxen sold,	150 00
	\$9,950 00

The bill for bridge stones, some gravel, and a few small bills have not been sent in.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. McCARTHY,
THOMAS F. LADD,
JOHN O. DEAN.

REPORT
OF THE
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
OF THE
TOWN OF EASTON
FOR THE YEAR 1892.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

L. S. DRAKE, *Chairman.*

W. L. CHAFFIN, *Secretary.*

THOMAS H. McCARTHY

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

EDWARD B. MAGLATHLIN.

Names of teachers employed during the year 1892: —

High. M. C. LAMPREY.	No. 7. JOSEPHINE F. BARTON.
“ FLORENCE W. SEAVER.	“ HELEN L. DRAKE.
“ FLORENCE H. PAUL.	“ MARY J. REYNOLDS.
No. 1. SADIE L. WALDRON.	“ LIZZIE E. MORSE.
“ PEARL E. KILBURN.	“ GRACE E. RIPLEY.
No. 2. SARAH F. PRATT.	“ JULIA A. REARDON.
No. 3. ETTA DICKERMAN.	“ FRANCES A. HIGGINBOTTOM.
“ MARY L. GEDDES.	“ CLARA L. KING.
Union. MERLE A. DRAKE.	“ ANNIE F. LINCOLN.
“ MYRTIE A. LEONARD.	“ JESSIE PORTER.
“ LIZZIE S. CAVANAGH.	No. 8. EMMA E. FECTO.
No. 6. GRACE A. PACKARD.	No. 9. MABEL F. PACKARD.
No. 7. LOUISA C. YOUNG.	No. 10. CARRIE M. LEONARD.
“ MARY A. STONE.	

J. E. SHEPARDSON, *Music.*

NETTIE L. WITHINGTON, *Kindergarten.*

Mrs. ETTA F. ANDREWS, *Sewing.*

Mrs. M. EVA CLEMENTS, *Sewing.*

F. G. KEITH, *Wood Work.*

MARY C. MITCHELL, *Cooking.*

ALICE G. NICKELSON, *Cooking.*

ETHEL PERRIN, *Physical Training.*

KATE WENTWORTH, *Industrial Drawing.*

MARY E. ANDERSON, *Industrial Drawing.*

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

TO THE CITIZENS OF EASTON :

We submit the following report for the year 1892. We call especial attention to the detailed report of the Superintendent.

STATISTICS.

Number of children in town, May 1, 1892,	
between five and fifteen years of age	779
Number of different scholars of all ages,	
enrolled on the school registers in 1892,	911
Number over fifteen years of age	69
Number under five years of age	11
Average amount per scholar appropriated by	
the towns of the State for 1891	\$13 29
Average amount per scholar appropriated by	
the towns of the State for 1892	\$13 75
The amount per scholar appropriated in 1892	
was \$14.12. No. 7 had 472 scholars, and	
the part of the appropriation for No. 7	
was 472 times \$14.12	\$6,664 64
Add three fourths of the income of the bequest,	2,381 85
Total that <i>must</i> be expended in No. 7	\$9,046 49

The expenses of No. 7 were as follows :—

Teachers' salaries	\$7,787 00
Music	260 00
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	<u>\$8,047 00</u>

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$8,047 00
Supplies	345 00
Fuel	348 00
Care of house and grounds	600.00
Total expense of No. 7.	<u>\$9,340 00</u>

These figures are given to show that we have complied with that condition of the Oliver Ames bequest which requires the expenditure of three fourths of its income at No. 7.

APPROPRIATIONS.

The shrinkage in the income of the Oliver Ames fund, owing to its necessary re-investment (the income now being \$3,000 per year instead of \$4,000 as heretofore), makes it needful for the town to make up for this difference of \$1,000 by increasing the appropriation for schools by that amount. The amount last year was \$11,000, and we accordingly ask for \$12,000 for the current year. We recommend the usual amount for transportation, \$1,000; for repairs, \$1,000; for text books, \$500; for new furniture, \$500, and for new heating apparatus at the Furnace Village, \$500. Some complaint has been made of the heating facilities at No. 1. We recently had the apparatus thoroughly examined and tested, and such suggestions as to its management were made as will, if followed, make it prove satisfactory. It is fair, also, to say that a vast gain was made by it in ventilation. We have increased the salary of the Superintendent of Schools to \$1,200, which is, we think, as low as the services of a competent superintendent, who shall give all his time to the town, can be hired for; towns paying less having only a part of his time and service.

INCREASED HIGH SCHOOL ACCOMMODATIONS.

The School Committee has several times called the attention of the town to the need of increased accommodations for the schools at North Easton. We have not asked the town to take action upon the subject, because we have not, until now, decided upon a definite plan to recommend. But we are convinced that postponement of action is a hindrance and injury to the efficiency of the schools, and we are ready now to suggest what seems to us best to be done.

The necessity for more room is not on account of an increased number of scholars in North Easton Village. In fact, at the last enrolment, in May, 1892, there were fewer children between five and fifteen years of age than in May, 1882, ten years ago. It is mainly on account of the High School that this need of room exists, and this fact will commend the subject to the interest of the whole town.

1. There has been a steady growth of numbers in the High School, a fact that speaks much to the credit of the town, especially when it is considered that the whole number of scholars in town is actually less, by the last census, than it was ten years ago. That with the number of children remaining practically the same, there should be a gain of thirty-three per cent of High School scholars in ten years, is a remarkable fact, and shows an increased interest in education in Easton. But this larger number of High School scholars has crowded the room to overflowing, seriously interfering with the proper and comfortable arrangement and management, and so vitiating

the air by overcrowding, as to make it very unwholesome. A larger room is an absolute necessity.

2. The increase in the number of scholars made it necessary several years ago to obtain a second assistant for this school, and this obliged us to take another school-room for a recitation-room, which gives us one less room for general use than we had ten years ago.

3. In order to do any justice to the important study of chemistry it was necessary to have a chemical laboratory, and providing this deprived us of another room.

4. A mechanical laboratory is also much needed, so that the study of physics can be properly conducted and the needed illustrative experiments made, for which there is no room now. These are definite reasons why the whole town should heartily take action to provide additional room for this High School, of whose numbers and of whose high standard and management it may well be proud.

5. For the sake of the High School we have felt obliged to take room that was greatly needed for the other schools. The highest grammar school we have been obliged to overcrowd. It should be divided; but this cannot now be done because there is no school room to spare. If a new high school room is prepared this grammar school can occupy the present high school room, and by employing an assistant the school may remain intact, as now, under its efficient teacher.

The primary school work is exceedingly embarrassed by the want of recitation rooms. The primary schools are full and all have assistant teachers. It is pathetic to see the straits the teachers are put to to find room for their various classes to recite in so as not to disturb each other.

The halls, the coat rooms, the janitor's closet, and even the cooking room in the basement, are utilized for recitation rooms, and in cold weather this is unwholesome and dangerous to health both of teacher and pupil. The plan we are to propose will secure these imperatively needed accommodations for all the schools.

Your School Committee has thus made a careful statement of the reasons that render longer postponement of this work very unwise, and we are confident the town will almost, if not quite, unanimously determine to meet this necessity at once.

We have carefully considered several plans for the enlarged accommodations referred to. Of course, the best of all plans, setting the matter of expense aside, would be for the town to purchase another lot of land adjoining the present one, and erect a handsome and well appointed High School building upon it. This would be far more sightly than the second plan we shall suggest. It would also be much more pleasant and more convenient, and it is just what other towns have been willing to do, and proud to have when done. But the original cost would be considerably more for the building itself, and to that must be added the cost of the lot. The strongest pecuniary objection, however, would lie in the fact that the removal of the High School from the present building would necessitate the employment of another master in this building, and this with the necessary additional expenses would increase the annual outlay for schools, somewhere from \$700 to \$1,000. Notwithstanding this, your committee believe that this is the plan that would be most creditable to the town, and one which in the end would give the best results and satisfaction.

The second plan we suggest, if the above is not adopted, is to build an addition to the main building in the rear, about sixty feet square, and fit it up mainly for High School purposes, making it two stories high. We have had an experienced builder working at preliminary plans in order that we might ascertain the approximate cost of such an addition.

We cannot present definite plans and figures in this report, but we shall be able to do so at the approaching town meeting. This second plan cannot be recommended on the score of beauty, as it would necessarily destroy the symmetry of the present building. Its only advantage as compared to the other plan is that it will be cheaper. We recommend that the town, after deciding what plan to adopt, shall appoint a building committee to act jointly with the school committee in this matter, and that the work shall be pressed to speedy completion.

L. S. DRAKE,	}	<i>School Committee.</i>
W. L. CHAFFIN,		
THOS. H. MCCARTHY,		

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF EASTON :

Gentlemen,—The Superintendent of the Public Schools would submit his report for the year 1892. It is the seventh in the series of annual reports by the Superintendent of the Public Schools of this town.

TEACHERS.

The year opened and closed with exactly the same teaching force in every school but one. At No. 3 Miss Etta Dickerman resigned in March, and was succeeded by Miss Mary L. Geddes. Miss Dickerman was a most admirable and successful teacher. The whole corps of teachers have excelled in resolute, persevering, industrious scholarship and efficiency.

ATTENDANCE.

During the past year the increased percentage of attendance was phenomenal. The following comparison indicates how great has been the advance in punctuality :—

	1891.	1892.
Number of pupils perfect in attendance for three terms....	3	14
“ “ “ “ “ “ “ “ two terms.....	22	59
“ “ “ “ “ “ “ “ one term.....	95	155
Totals.....	120	228

The conditions of health and weather were as favorable to good attendance in the former as in the latter year. The improved attendance has resulted in a more satis-

factory progress in scholarship and conduct. The people are to be congratulated upon these fine results which are due to the earnest co-operation of the pupils and their parents, with the teachers who have served them so well.

TRUANCY.

The truant officers have been methodical and effective in the performance of their trying duties. By their prompt, decisive action they have succeeded in diminishing the evil of truancy; although one refractory boy had to be sent to the Truant School in Walpole, where he will be under a wholesome restraint and receive daily instruction. The availability of this pleasant, home school, together with the system of fines imposed by the statutes, makes it practicable for the officers to execute the laws in relation to the attendance of all children of school age. It must, however, be kept steadily in mind that the best and truest method of preventing truancy is to make the schools so attractive to the children that they will not wish to stay away.

SCHOOL PROPERTY.

Taken as a whole the school buildings and furnishings are in good condition. New desks should be placed in at least one room at No. 7 and in the school at Easton Centre. New heating apparatus should be provided for the school at the Furnace. Better accommodations *must* be provided for the High School. The entire building at No. 7 is needed for the elementary schools of that district. The No. 7 primary schools have not a single recitation room. The assistant teachers are obliged, therefore, to conduct

classes either in the open corridor, which is never free from draughts, or in the close, dimly-lighted cloak rooms. The Kindergarten, with its pleasant apartments in Memorial Hall, is the only school in North Easton which has sufficient room for doing successful work.

THE HIGH SCHOOL.

The crown and glory of the public school system is the High School, which not only upon its own members bestows the fadeless riches of a liberal culture, but is influential for good in every school down to the lowest primary grade. Our people are justly proud of their High School. For many years they have witnessed the benefits of the higher education furnished by this school, which is worthy of the confidence and unstinted support of the citizens. The school has ninety-two pupils, and there is no room in the building which is large enough to seat them all. Several of the pupils are obliged to sit in a distant recitation room which is inconvenient for them. As this room is used for recitation purposes by both the high and grammar schools, it is impossible for these students to work without being seriously disturbed. The school was never more popular than it is to-day. In the last graduating class there were five pupils. In the class to be graduated next June there are sixteen pupils, and in the entering class of the present academic year there are forty pupils. We ought to make provision for this increase, either by the erection of a new building, or by placing a large addition upon the building in No. 7. The former plan would be more satisfactory, and, in the end, it would prove to be the more economical.

The present building contains five hundred pupils, with sixteen teachers, besides the special teachers and the training class. The various schools are pursuing courses of study — elementary, classical, scientific and normal — extending through a period of fourteen years. In this crowded building there are only ten assembly rooms, two small recitation rooms, and a chemical laboratory. It is strictly within the limits of truth to say that this lack of room has hampered and crippled every department of school work, causing a waste of resources and the loss forever of valuable opportunities for scholastic training.

THE TRAINING SCHOOL.

It is proper that the people should desire to have the school officers employ as teachers in the common schools competent graduates of their own High School. For this reason it was wise to provide for the training of our own teachers, by the establishment of a Normal Training School which was reorganized last spring. This school is designed to give instruction in the psychology of teaching, the history of education, and the general principles of school management. The students, the number of whom is limited to four, are instructed how to teach the common school branches, and are required to observe the regular work as conducted by the teachers of the several grades. They are then called upon to report their observations to the principal, and to teach classes under the supervision of experienced and successful teachers. For a more detailed account of the work of the school, reference should be made to the appendix, which contains a special report by the Training School Principal. In the appendix there

are other special reports, courses of study, financial statements, and tabulated statistics, to which your attention is invited.

PROMOTIONS.

Pupils who do satisfactory work during the year will be advanced without passing through the ordeal of a special examination, tests being reserved for those of doubtful proficiency. The old plan of promoting but once a year has been abrogated with excellent results. It never can be right to detain a bright child in a lower grade, because others, being less capable, are unable to advance. It is even more unjust to the poorer scholar, who is doomed thereby to a hopeless struggle day by day; though he strive with unwearied diligence, yet must he inevitably remain near the foot of his class. How wrong it is thus to dishearten a child in the tender years of his opening mind! As soon, therefore, as children are ready for more and higher work they should go forward. It will be a great benefit to them; and it will give fresh opportunity and stimulus to the other members of the class who had become discouraged in the vain attempt to carry burdens beyond the measure of their strength. Doubtless this means grades within grades; but there can be no valid objection to such an arrangement, for the ideal state of things exists when every one is at work where he can do his best. It follows that the classification, in each school, should be such that pupils may be grouped according to their attainments and ability. By the complete adoption of this method, which is the reasonable and, therefore, the right method, we shall save all that dignifies our graded schools, and we shall not lose that

virile quality of the old-time ungraded school, from whose humble doors went forth men who shed honor and renown upon their country, and adorned the brightest pages of American literature.

MORAL EDUCATION.

In the formation of character a due submission to authority is the first essential. In disobedience to parents and teachers can be seen the germ of that anarchy which strikes at the root of all government. Upon those who are now in the schools, must some day devolve the responsibilities of administering our republican institutions. If the children make a good use of their opportunities, they will become qualified to receive and transmit unimpaired, the heritage of worthy men. Back to first principles must we go in this problem of the moral education of the young. The time, strength, and earnest endeavor of teachers must be given to the establishment of good habits in their pupils. A bad habit cannot be laid aside at will, like a superfluous garment. It can only be changed, when once formed, by the most vigorous effort. The habit of *industry* is necessary to the happiness of any individual. Let our youth be thoroughly trained in this habit, not alone because it will strengthen the body, mind, and heart, but because it is the surest and the most honorable means of a constant livelihood. Useful employment is the safeguard of virtue. If a child be inactive, he will be viciously inclined. This fact affords the needed spur to the efforts of wise teachers to lead the ever expanding mind in some noble pursuit.

In close alliance with industry is *economy*. Children

should be taught to economize. This would involve a just distribution of their time ; a careful use of property loaned to them ; the judicious spending and saving of money ; the proper husbanding of the resources of the whole being. Another imperative duty of teachers is to assist their pupils in acquiring the habit of *truthfulness*. The telling of what is not true is emphatically the besetting sin of childhood. Deception is of so Protean a form as to require the utmost vigilance of educators to effectually check its development. Its evil effects need to be painted in all the vividness of their sad reality that children may be led rightly to judge place and emolument as but dust in the balance when compared with their integrity and honor. Cultivate the wisdom of knowing that deception can never prosper, for though it be unobserved by man it cannot hope to escape the all-seeing eye of God. By interesting and impressive devotional exercises it is within the province of the teacher to deepen and extend the feeling of *reverence* — so wanting in the youth of our day. Much harm will be done to modern civilization if the teachers fail to impart the reverential spirit. He who is reverent will render his best service in favor of whatever is pure and true, and against everything that is false or unclean.

PATRIOTISM.

The paramount duty of educators is to train the young to become good citizens. Our republic will survive so long as patriotism abounds. One of the easiest and best methods for instilling into youthful minds and hearts a love of country and devotion to her beneficent institutions is to place the national flag upon those buildings which

have been set apart for the noble uses of the public schools. It is cause for rejoicing that every school in Easton owns a flag—the emblem of that Union to which our fathers pledged their lives, their fortunes, and their sacred honor; and whose loyal sons, for its preservation, have poured out their blood like water and their treasures as the sands.

EDWARD B. MAGLATHLIN, *S.T.S.*
Superintendent of Schools.

APPENDIX.

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL OF TRAINING SCHOOL.

The Training Class the past year has been so important a factor in the schools that it has been thought best to give an idea of its work and methods.

For much of the time during the last twelve years there have been in the schools at North Easton, young ladies — generally graduates of our High School — who have spent a certain time observing and learning, in order to be better fitted for teaching.

For several years they worked only in the primary schools for one term. Then a change of time was made by the committee and they were required to work one year, devoting some time to all the schools except the High School.

Last spring a decided change was made in regard to the Training Class, and more time was given to the teacher for it, and the work of the past year has been very different from former years; much more methodical and satisfactory.

The members of this class have been Misses Lilian F. Clark, Clara A. Drake, Etta L. Dickerman, Mary F. Harlow, Emma A. Leach, and Ada E. Leonard. Miss Dickerman began studying at Quincy but finished here and has completed the course as has also Miss Drake.

Each of these young ladies has well earned the diploma which is given to graduates of a high school after attending our Training Class for the prescribed time.

Miss Clark left the class in September to take charge of a school in a neighboring town. Miss Dickerman and Miss Drake are now teaching in the schools of Easton.

When a pupil enters the class, she is assigned to a certain school for a period long enough to obtain an idea of that grade of school with its requirements and work. She is given a definite portion of the work to do as well as many opportunities to observe the regular teacher in her ways and methods of teaching. The pupil is required to put her observations into writing that they may be read and corrected by the teacher. When the work of one grade is sufficiently studied, the pupil passes to the next, and so on through all the schools.

Every day a special lesson is given either by the Training Class teacher or by a member of the class for actual practice teaching. This is followed by criticism and discussion and by practical lessons in the theory and practice of teaching. These lessons follow the plan of our Normal Schools with the difference of having *children* to teach instead of grown people.

The young ladies give careful, earnest, and painstaking work and the results are most creditable to them.

To become a member of the class, one ought at least to have a High School education, to have a love for children and teaching, and the ability to work.

MOTTO: — "*Age quod Agis*".

EASTON HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATING EXERCISES, OF THE CLASS OF '92,

THURSDAY, JUNE 30, 1892, AT 7.45 P. M.

PROGRAM.

MUSIC, "The Dawn of Day," *Arr. from Samuel Reay* . . . School.

DECLAMATION, "The Deathbed of Benedict Arnold," *Geo. Lippard*,
Edward J. Cotter.

ORATION, "Liberty" Geo. W. Franklin.

MUSIC, "Come Away to the Daisies," *Arr. from Bellini* . . . School.

DECLAMATION, "Our Niche the Highest," *Elihu Burritt*, Charles F. Purinton.

ORATION, "Will Our Government Endure?" . . . Edward J. Cotter.

MUSIC, "See Our Oars with Feathered Spray," *Sir John Stevenson*, School.

CLASS PROPHECY Edward M. Carr.

DECLAMATION, "Darius Green and His Flying Machine," *J. T.*

Trowbridge George W. Franklin.

ESSAY WITH VALEDICTORY, "Progress, the Tendency of the Age,"

Ella M. Packard.

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS . . . E. B. Maglathlin, Supt. of Schools

MUSIC, "Commencement Day."

COMMENCEMENT DAY.

Commencement Day, thy presence gay,
Long yearned with fervent hopes,
We greet with choicest flow'rs of May,
And hail the life that opes.
In prison bud the rose long sleeps
Ere blushing flow'r is blown;
The tiny shoot slow upward creeps,
Ere fruits are on it grown;
We, subjects of fair Nature's rule,
Have too our silent age.
To-day we leave the halls of school,
Life's duties to engage;
To-day we leave the halls of school,
Life's duties to engage.

Fair Nature's richest music fills
 The air with sweetest strains,
 And redolence from countless blooms
 The gentle breeze contains ;
 So with the life we now begin,
 We would with music swell.
 And ever in our hearts and minds
 Past memories shall dwell.
 The flow'r-strewn path to bright success
 We 'll strive to well pursue,
 As onward through this life we press ;
 Fair day, we welcome you ;
 As onward through this life we press,
 Fair day, we welcome you.

OUTLINES FOR STUDY OF ARITHMETIC.

FIRST YEAR.

1. During the first half year, develop numbers from 1 to 5 and count objects to 10.
2. During the second half year develop numbers from 6 to 10 and count objects to 20.
3. Use blocks, splints, board and pegs, pins and cushion.
4. Teach expression of numbers by figures, Roman numerals, words.
5. First half year, teach easy combinations using objects ; second half year, teach more difficult combinations without objects.
6. Make simple problems or have pupils give stories involving addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division of numbers not greater than 10.
7. Teach signs for operations.
8. Teach coins,— cent, two cents, half dime, dime.
9. Teach dry measures — quart, two quarts, four quarts, peck ; and have pupils measure sand, beans, etc.
10. Numbers from 1 to 10 are developed as follows : —
 - (1) 1, 1 — 1.
 - (2) 1 + 1, 2 — 1, $\frac{1}{2}$ of 2.

$$(3) \quad 2+1, 1+2, 3-1, 3-2, 3-3.$$

$$(4) \quad 3+1, 1+3, 4-1, 4-3, 2+2, 4-2, 4 \div 2, 2 \times 2, 4-4, \frac{1}{2} \text{ of } 4.$$

$$(5) \quad 4+1, 1+4, 5-1, 5-4, 3+2, 2+3, 5-2, 5-3, 5-5.$$

$$(6) \quad 5+1, 1+5, 6-1, 6-5, 4+2, 2+4, 6-2, 6-4, 6 \div 2, 3 \times 2, 3+3, 6-3, 6 \div 3, \frac{1}{2} \text{ of } 6, \frac{1}{3} \text{ of } 6.$$

$$(7) \quad 6+1, 1+6, 7-1, 7-6, 5+2, 2+5, 7-2, 7-5, 4+3, 3+4, 7-3, 7-4, 7-7.$$

$$(8) \quad 7+1, 1+7, 8-1, 8-7, 6+2, 2+6, 8-2, 8-6, 8 \div 2, 4 \times 2, 3+5, 5+3, 8-3, 8-5, 4+4, 8-4, 8 \div 4, \frac{1}{2} \text{ of } 8, \frac{1}{4} \text{ of } 8.$$

$$(9) \quad 8+1, 1+8, 9-1, 9-8, 7+2, 2+7, 9-2, 9-7, 6+3, 3+6, 9-3, 9-6, 9 \div 3, \frac{1}{3} \text{ of } 9, 5+4, 4+5, 9-4, 9-5, 9-9.$$

$$(10) \quad 9+1, 1+9, 10-1, 10-9, 2+8, 8+2, 10-2, 10-8, 10 \div 2, 5 \times 2, \frac{1}{2} \text{ of } 10, 3+7, 7+3, 10-3, 10-7, 4+6, 6+4, 10-4, 10-6, 5+5, 10-5, 10 \div 5, \frac{1}{5} \text{ of } 10, 10-10.$$

A most excellent book for this grade, and one which can be used with profit in the second and third grades, is Appleton's "Numbers Illustrated." This book is applied in Language, Drawing, and Reading Lessons.

SECOND YEAR.

1. Teach numbers by counting objects to 60.
2. Teach expression of numbers 1-60 by figures; 1-20 by Roman numerals and words.
3. Add and subtract by twos, threes, fours, fives, sixes to 60.
4. Easy problems (1) with one operation; (2) with more than one; e. g., $? + 6 = 9$, $8 - 3 = ?$, $? + ? = 17$, $1 + 3 - 2 \times 4 \div 2 = ?$
5. Column addition — sum not to exceed 60.
6. Addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division tables to 60, made by pupils.

7. Have pupils make original problems combining the four processes by using numbers from 1 to 60.

8. Teach fractional parts of numbers the results to be integers; *e. g.*, $\frac{1}{2}$ of 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, etc.; $\frac{1}{3}$ of 3, 6, 9, 12, etc.; $\frac{1}{4}$ of 4, 8, 12, 16, etc.; $\frac{1}{5}$ of 5, 10, 15, 20; $\frac{1}{6}$ of 6, 12, 18, etc.

9. Teach coins, 25 cts., 50 cts.

10. Teach liquid measures — quart, two quarts, gallon; afterwards pint, gill; then bushel, and give simple practical problems, using both dry and liquid measures. Teach inch, foot, yard; ounce, pound; day, week, minute, hour, with easy problems involving these weights and measures. Teach pupils to tell the time o

THIRD YEAR.

1. Teach numbers by counting objects to 144.

2. Teach expression of numbers by figures and words to 144; by Roman numerals to 100.

3. Practise addition and subtraction of numbers passing from one ten to the next higher or lower; as $16 + 7$, $26 + 7$; $7 - 3$, $17 - 3$; $46 - 4$, $36 - 4$.

4. Problems with easy combinations to 144 — all possible combinations to 100.

5. Teach fractional parts of numbers in which each result is a whole number, using $\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{1}{3}$, $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{1}{5}$, $\frac{1}{6}$, $\frac{1}{8}$, $\frac{1}{9}$, $\frac{1}{10}$, $\frac{1}{12}$.

6. Addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division tables to 144, made by the pupils.

7. Write and read dollars and cents and teach sign for dollars.

8. Easy operations in U. S. money, giving practice in simple, concrete business transactions and making change with toy money.

9. Addition of columns of dollars and cents, using two places for dollars, the sum not to exceed \$1,000.00.

10. Teach month, year, century; dozen, score, quire; and give examples in simple reduction. Accustom pupils to estimate measures by the eye and by handling objects to judge of their weight.

FOURTH YEAR.

1. Operations to 144 in addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division.

2. Write and read integers of two periods and tenths and hundredths written decimally.

3. Teach table of U. S. money including the reading and writing of dollars, cents, and mills.

4. Addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division of integers and decimals, the divisors and multipliers to be integers of not more than two figures.

5. Reading and writing of numbers to 10,000 expressed by figures and words. Roman numeration to M; notation to D.

6. Teach rod, furlong, mile; and have pupils estimate the distance between their homes and the school, and between various places in the town. Teach hundred-weight, short and long ton; ream; gross. Have pupils arrange tables of liquid, dry, and long measure, avoirdupois weight, and measure of time.

7. Careful statement and solution of problems with complete analysis, using Warren Colburn's Mental Arithmetic. Business transactions formulated by the pupils.

8. Rapid addition of long columns using integers of three places and decimals of two places, the sum not to exceed 10,000.00.

FIFTH YEAR.

1. Write and read integers of two periods and decimals of three orders.

2. Addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division of integers and decimals; the multipliers and divisors not to exceed three figures.

3. Make bills for books, stationery, dry goods, common articles of food, clothing, furniture, wood, coal, lumber, labor.

4. Write, read, reduce, add, subtract, multiply, and divide fractions to twentieths.

5. The units of square measure, with their relations.

6. The areas of rectangles with simple practical problems.

7. Units of cubic measure with their relations.

8. Contents of rectangular solids with problems.
9. Write and read Roman numerals to 1000.
10. In this and in succeeding grades, the written work should be preceded and followed by oral teaching. The daily drill in Colburn's Mental Arithmetic, should continue through this grade and extend to the beginning of the eighth year, when Wheeler's Second Lessons should be used.

SIXTH YEAR.

1. Show the relation between decimal and common fractions, by combining them in the same problem; *e. g.*, find the result of $\frac{1}{2} + .25 - \frac{1}{4} + .75$. Teach aliquot parts of a hundred with problems.
2. Write, read, add, subtract, multiply, and divide integers of more than three periods and decimals of three orders, no multiplier or divisor to exceed four figures.
3. Review the whole subject of U. S. money using not more than four figures in the multiplier or divisor.
4. Teach the *idea* of per cent and write any per cent in three forms.
5. Simple problems in profit and loss and commission.
6. Find the area of triangle, parallelogram, trapezoid, with problems.
7. Give many practical problems calling for precise measurements; *e. g.*, carpeting the school-room floor, papering the wall, painting the inside work, fencing the yard, concreting the sidewalk.
8. Find contents of rectangular solids.
9. Give practical problems; *e. g.*, compute the number of bricks in the walls of a house; the number of cords in a pile of wood.
10. Teach the circle and parts of the circle, and compute diameter, circumference and area, the radius being given.

SEVENTH YEAR.

1. Review and complete the study of common and decimal fractions.

2. Review measurements of surfaces and solids, giving many problems involving the capacity of bins and boxes.
3. Teach the units of English money and their relations.
4. Teach contractions and short methods in multiplication and division.
5. Teach factoring.
6. Teach simple interest at 6, 5, and $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent, with many problems.
7. Oral lessons in the metric system. In teaching the metric system no reference should be made to the English equivalents. Pupils must be trained *to think* in the metric system. They should be supplied with all needful apparatus for doing practical work on this important subject.

EIGHTH YEAR.

1. Applications of percentage :
 - a. Profit and loss ; commission and brokerage.
 - b. Insurance.
 - c. Taxes.
 - d. Duties.
 - e. Interest with problems involving discount and partial payments.
 - f. Partnership.
 - g. Stocks and bonds.
2. Longitude and time. Standard time with problems.
3. Continue oral work in the metric system.

NINTH YEAR.

1. Applications of percentage :
 - a. Compound interest.
 - b. Exchange.
 - c. Average of payments.
 - d. Business problems involving a complete review of percentage.
2. Review and complete the study of the metric system, with problems for both oral and written work.

3. Ratio and proportion with problems.
 4. Powers and roots.
 5. Examples in square and cube root with their applications in the mensuration of surfaces and solids.
 6. Simple problems of algebra and geometry.
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OUTLINES FOR STUDY OF GEOGRAPHY.

FIRST YEAR.

1. Have talks with the children. These talks should be simple and easy, yet preparatory to a systematic study of the subject.
2. Give lessons on form, size, position of objects in or near the school-house.
3. Teach meaning and use of such words as on, under, above, behind, right, left, upper right-hand corner, lower left-hand corner, centre, etc.
4. Teach the cardinal and semi-cardinal points of the compass.
5. Draw on the black-board an outline of school-room and have the pupils tell where to place and group the objects represented.
6. In like manner draw a plan of the school yard.
7. Sand and clay modeling for busy work.

SECOND YEAR.

1. Teach location and names of streets and prominent buildings in vicinity of the school. Have pupils describe the buildings and tell their use.
2. By means of pictures stimulate inquiry relative to forests, fields, mountains, springs, rivers. Have pupils tell you natural objects and curiosities which they have seen.
3. Teach names of common grains and vegetables, — how they are planted, how they grow.
4. Give talks on flowers, birds, bees and butterflies, trees and

fruits. For illustrations, use pictures, and the objects themselves when possible.

5. Have pupils learn the names of the more common native trees and tell their uses.

THIRD YEAR.

1. Teach something in regard to the animals of the region, — both domestic and wild animals. Make three groups: —

(1) Those that live on the land.

(2) Those that live in the water.

(3) Those that live in the air.

2. Read stories and relate anecdotes of animals. Incidentally inculcate kindness to animals and cite instances of devotion to man on the part of sagacious creatures like the horse, elephant, and the nobler species of the dog.

3. Give lessons on the weather with special talks on the sunshine and clouds; the winds, rain, snow, hail, dew, and their causes.

4. Use of plants and animals for food, shelter, and clothing.

5. Industries of the town — what they are. What is done with the products? Means of transportation?

6. Growth of villages and cities.

7. Study a map of Easton which represents physical features, villages, streets, bridges, railroads, and prominent buildings.

8. Teach scale or standard of measurement.

9. By use of the objects or pictures, teach parts of hill, mountain, plain, coast, river, ocean.

10. Use geographical reader as preliminary to study of text book. An excellent book for this purpose is "The World and its People," No. 1, edited by Larkin Dunton; or "The World at Home," No. 1 of the Royal School Series.

FOURTH YEAR.

1. By use of text book and other aids, teach the notion of the earth as a whole, including shape, size, surface of land and water, rotation, axis, poles, equator, day and night, zones, and seasons.

2. Use progressive outline maps of the hemispheres for individual work.

3. In connection with the map drawing, teach divisions of land into continents and islands; division of water into oceans, rivers, lakes.

4. Teach elevation of land and projections of land and water.

5. Teach comparative size of continents and oceans.

6. Simple lessons giving the more important details of North America with the geographical history of the United States.

FIFTH YEAR.

1. Review the work of the preceding year.

2. Study the continent of North America, using the following topics which will serve for the study of each continent: —

- (1) Position, boundaries, and climate.
- (2) Mountains, rivers, and lakes.
- (3) Islands, peninsulas, and capes.
- (4) Seas, gulfs, bays.
- (5) Straits and isthmuses.
- (6) Names of principal countries.

3. Use progressive outline maps for individual work.

4. Have pupils make a sand model of the continent.

5. Detailed study of the United States, using the following topics, which will serve for the study of other countries or States: —

- (1) Position.
- (2) Boundaries and size.
- (3) Mountains, rivers, lakes.
- (4) Islands, peninsulas, and capes.
- (5) Seas, gulfs, bays.
- (6) Straits and isthmuses.
- (7) Soil, climate, and productions — including minerals, plants, animals, to be represented on large production map made by the class.
- (8) Inhabitants, including manners, customs, occupations, government, and religion.

- (9) Political divisions.
 - (10) Capitals, leading cities, and towns.
 - (11) Noted places, giving interesting facts of history, and some account of the great natural curiosities.
 - (12) Routes of travel, both by water and land.
6. Detailed study of Massachusetts; mold map in sand, and use progressive outline map for individual work.

SIXTH YEAR.

1. Detailed study of the sections of the United States, using progressive outline maps for individual work; and relief and production maps made by the class.
2. Detailed work of British America and Mexico. Give special attention to map study and the descriptive text; and have pupils gather information from books of travel.
3. Detailed study of South America with progressive outline, relief, and production maps. Give such amount of time to each country as its importance may require.

SEVENTH YEAR.

1. Review briefly the study of the globe and of the hemispheres. Teach thoroughly the subjects, — day and night, seasons, latitude and longitude, oceanic and atmospheric currents.
2. Show that upon the relative position of lowlands and highlands depend the amount of rainfall, the direction of rivers, and, in large measure, the quality of climate and soil.
3. Show that upon soil and climate depends vegetable life.
4. Show that animal life depends upon vegetation.
5. By review exercises, show that upon rainfall, climate, and soil depend natural productions and hence the occupations of man.
6. Detailed study of the physical and political geography of Europe and Asia, according to directions already given, with the special study of British Isles, France, Germany, Holland, Switzerland, Spain, Italy, Greece, Russian, in Europe; the Holy Land, Siberia, Persia, Arabia, India, China, Japan, in Asia.

EIGHTH YEAR.

1. Detailed study of Africa, Australia, and Oceanica.
2. Readings from Stanley's "In Darkest Africa," and other standard works.
3. General though systematic review of mathematical and political geography.
4. Physical geography reviewed and extended with special reference, —
 - (1) To the general arrangement of the earth's slopes, as grouped in the great continental river basins.
 - (2) Heat belts as determined by latitude and elevation.
 - (3) Belts of trade winds, monsoons, etc.
 - (4) Division of earth's surface into fertile and barren regions, as determined by soil and climate.
 - (5) The natural floral and faunal regions and mining districts.
5. Distribution of races.
6. Different forms of religion and government.
7. Lessons on commerce with imaginary journeys along the principal routes of trade.

SUMMARIZED REPORTS OF SPECIAL INSTRUCTION
UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE OAKES AMES
BEQUEST.

THE KINDERGARTEN.

The year of 1892 in the Kindergarten has been in many respects the most successful since its beginning. Over eighty children have been registered during the year with a membership of forty-five for the spring and thirty-seven for the fall term; also, the attendance has been much better than in any previous year. The increase of scholars in the High School necessitated the removal of the Kindergarten from the school building, and one of the lower rooms in Memorial Hall was provided for its use; the

change from its somewhat cramped quarters to the rooms and grounds at the Hall is delightful and of great benefit to the children who are so young as to need greater freedom than it is possible to have in a building with other and older scholars. During the warm weather, some of the Kindergarten exercises were given out of doors, thus carrying out to some extent the German idea, which is that no Kindergarten is complete without a playground and garden in which the children are occupied for a considerable portion of the time.

Owing partly, perhaps, to the new quarters and also, it is hoped, to an increasing interest in the Kindergarten, an unusually large number of visitors have been received during the last year, nearly one hundred having been registered.

The work with the children has been much the same as usual. A few of the occupations have been necessarily omitted owing to the large number of scholars in each class which made the individual attention required for them impossible. The work of the older class in the spring term was arranged with the view to better prepare them for entering the primary room rather than to carry out the regular Kindergarten program, since many of the children entered for one term only, and here a fact before mentioned will bear repeating, namely: if the real good of the training is to be realized, a child *must* have at least a year in the Kindergarten.

In December a new piano was purchased, which will be a source of great pleasure and profit to both children and teacher.

The children took great delight during the last six weeks of the fall term in preparing various gifts in sewing and

weaving for a Christmas tree, which was promised them if they could make presents enough to furnish it. The result was very satisfactory; twenty-five children attended so regularly that over eighty articles were finished. The tree had only the children's work on it, which they gave to parents and friends, thus giving them a chance to realize that even such little ones can find great pleasure in giving as well as receiving gifts.

It is hoped that with reasonably good weather, and the absence of sickness, such as has reduced our numbers for the last two or three seasons, the attendance may be even better during the coming year than the last. The matter of regular attendance is again urged as being of the greatest importance, both to the good of the child and the Kindergarten; and the healthful and ample accommodations now provided, and the absence of the unavoidable danger and discomfort attendant upon so close an association with so many older scholars must, it is believed, make parents more ready to send their little ones in the future.

MANUAL TRAINING.

Eighty boys have received instruction in Wood-working. The pupils were required to prepare sketches and plans of their projects and when practicable to furnish specifications and dimensions of material. Though two of the classes were trained on Saturday, the attendance was good.

Two hundred girls were instructed in Sewing. The drill in this work is of great value. The youngest pupils are required to make something useful. The teachers have secured excellent results although the work has been conducted at much disadvantage owing to the lack of proper accommodations.

PHYSICAL TRAINING.

During the winter the Swedish System was taught by a graduate of the Boston Normal School of Gymnastics. It was deemed inexpedient to continue the special instruction as the regular teachers had become familiar with the exercises which they have since conducted with marked ability and success.

THE SCHOOL KITCHEN.

The second year of the cooking school opened successfully with fifty-four pupils. The attendance has been good, the average attendance being 90 per cent. The lessons comprise all the matters in connection with the kitchen, from the making and care of a fire to the preparation of desserts, not omitting that most important of all culinary processes, the making of bread. The aim is not so much to achieve great triumphs of the confectioner's skill as to teach the best ways of cooking the poorer parts of meat in the most nutritious and palatable manner.

The pupils have been deeply interested, and have carried the work into their homes. A report of the dishes cooked at home has been taken at each lesson, the largest number of dishes cooked at home being sixty-two.

The parents of several of the pupils have expressed their gratification at the work done and the help they have received from the knowledge gained.

One of the strongest points made in the lessons has been the economy of fuel, which cannot be too strongly dwelt upon when one realizes the reckless waste of coal in kitchens. A great variety of dishes has been prepared, including potatoes and other vegetables; eggs; oatmeal

and other cereals ; rice, macaroni ; beef stew, with dumplings ; soups ; boiled, broiled, and roasted meats ; baked fish, fish balls, and fish chowder. The classes have also made bread, doughnuts, ginger-bread, griddle cakes, and jellies ; and have been taught how to utilize the odds and ends that are left over. The cleanliness of the kitchen has not been neglected, but has been attended to by each pupil in his turn with cheerful obedience.

INDUSTRIAL DRAWING.

The teachers are using the course of instruction planned for the schools by Prof. Henry T. Bailey. All the classes are doing regular grade work ; and, although in some cases it is a little beyond the pupils, they are doing well. The teachers show an increasing interest in the work which has extended to the pupils. The subject, as taught during the year, is included under the three divisions : Model Drawing ; Working Drawing ; Design. For convenience in teaching, the High School is divided into two sections. One section comprises those who entered in September, 1892. The other, those who have been in the school for a year or more. It has been surprising and gratifying to note the advance in the interest and ability of the pupils of this school. But they labor under great difficulties, as there are no appliances for model drawing. There ought to be a special room which could be used for the upper classes in drawing, where models could be placed and not disturbed until the pupils have completed their work. Such a room, to be known as the art room, could be utilized for class work in literary subjects and for rhetorical rehearsals. It would also afford a pleasant reception room for the principal of the High School.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

RECEIPTS.

Appropriation for 1892,	\$11,000 00
Balance from 1891,	239 54
Income of Oliver Ames Fund,	3,175 80
For sales by Superintendent of Schools,	61 33
Dog Tax,	598 22
Tuition,	54 00
Amount available for 1892,	\$15,128 89

EXPENDITURES.

TEACHERS' SALARIES.

M. C. Lamprey,	\$1,500 00
F. W. Seaver,	650 00
F. H. Paul,	520 00
L. C. Young,	650 00
M. A. Stone,	375 60
J. F. Barton,	450 00
H. L. Drake,	450 00
M. J. Reynolds,	450 00
L. E. Morse,	650 00
G. E. Ripley,	400 00
J. A. Reardon,	400 00
A. F. Lincoln,	279 00
C. L. King,	288 00
F. Higginbottom,	288 00
J. Porter,	312 00
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	<i>\$7,662 00</i>

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$7,662 00
S. L. Waldron,	450 00
P. E. Kilburn,	351 00
S. F. Pratt,	378 00
M. L. Geddes,	216 00
M. A. Drake,	600 00
M. A. Leonard,	390 00
L. S. Cavanagh,	312 00
G. A. Packard,	312 00
E. E. Fecto,	390 00
M. F. Packard,	312 00
C. M. Leonard,	390 00
E. Dickerman,	108 00
J. E. Shepardson,	520 00
Substitutes,	155 00

\$12,546 00

FUEL.

G. F. Rollins,	\$90 00
A. A. Gooch,	19 25
L. K. Wilbur,	8 00
E. T. Goward,	6 00
C. K. Dailey,	78 00
J. C. Goward,	182 70
J. J. McCarthy,	194 00
J. O. Dean & Co.,	172 30
C. W. Smith,	58 50
Aggregate of small bills for cutting, etc.,	8 25

\$817 00

CARE AND CLEANING.

House No. 1,	\$91 00
“ “ 2,	41 50

Amount carried forward, \$132 50

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$132 50
House No. 3,	39 35
“ Union,	109 00
“ No. 6,	26 25
“ “ 7,	600 00
“ “ 8,	47 52
“ “ 9,	28 49
“ “ 10,	28 25
	\$1,011 36

SUPPLIES AND SUNDRIES.

George S. Perry, ink, brushes, slate bands, etc.,	\$112 90
F. G. Keith, paid for washing towels, etc.,	15 10
Russia Cement Co., mucilage,	2 00
J. L. Hammett, dusters, slates, sponges,	
liquid slating, etc.,	120 35
H. F. Brown, chemical apparatus,	1 00
Howe's Express, handling supplies,	20 26
Jordan, Marsh & Co., towels,	5 00
Grace A. Packard, small supplies,	2 40
W. E. Staples, fastening seats and desks,	
No. 7,	34 50
Superintendent, postage, telegrams, supplies,	
car-fares, school business out of town,	
expenses of agents of State Board, etc.,	113 53
D. C. Lillie, school census,	14 00
William Bense, filling diplomas,	1 50
J. C. White, reward cards,	1 75
Alfred Mudge & Son, diplomas,	20 50
C. W. Clark & Co., slating,	10 00
G. L. Kimball, sundries,	6 31
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	\$481 10

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$481 10
North Easton Water Works,	20 00
John McFarland, decorations for High School exhibition,	2 00
Gurney Bros., clocks,	8 50
L. H. Smith, clock,	1 50
Smith, Benedict & Siegemund, chemical app.,	1 80
Masten & Wells, flag for Grammar School, No. 7,	1 50
G. T. Drake, painting flag-pole, Union,	5 00
H. T. Mitchell, sundries,	6 22
G. G. Withington, chemicals,	4 30
O. Ames & Sons' Corporation, shovels, pulleys, etc.,	27 03
Wade and Sisson, sundries,	7 10
Emma Fecto, small supplies,	50
Samuel Rennie, expense as Truant Officer,	75 00
Care of pupil in County Truant School,	24 57
O. Ames & Sons' Corporation, small supplies,	65
D. J. Dineen, ammonia,	1 20
E. W. Foster, setting glass, re-fitting desks, and materials,	8 72
C. M. Leonard, small supplies, No. 10,	1 95
C. F. Cummings, black-board, No. 7,	2 82
F. G. Keith, black-boards,	6 50
S. F. Pratt, supplies, No. 2,	3 06
W. S. Washburn, clearing chimney, Nos. 2 and 9,	4 00
M. A. Drake, supplies, paint, etc., Union,	12 79
W. W. Hayward, tuning organs,	36 50
	\$744 31

RECAPITULATION.

Receipts from all sources,		\$15,128 89
Teachers' salaries,	\$12,546 00	
Fuel,	817 00	
Care and cleaning,	1,011 36	
Supplies and sundries,	744 31	
		15,118 67
Balance unexpended,		\$10 22

REPAIRS.

Nelson Tallman, lumber and general repairs,		\$150 27
Keith & Thompson, brick work, Nos. 1, 6,		
8, 10,		341 55
A. A. Gooch, repairs, No. 10,		47 56
A. B. Anderson, stone work, No. 7,		9 62
T. W. Driscoll, repairs at Union,		46 02
E. N. Jenney, repairs Nos. 2 and 9,		21 71
A. Mack, lumber for No. 7,		14 03
Barstow Stove Co., new apparatus, No. 1,		360 00
N. P. Pierson, stone work, No. 7,		2 50
		\$993 26
Appropriation,	\$1,000 00	
Expended,	993 26	
Balance unexpended,	\$6 74	

TEXT BOOKS.

Effingham, Maynard & Co., physiology,	\$10 80
Educational Pub. Co., history and language,	29 12
American Book Co., geography, botany, reference charts,	166 88
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	\$206 80

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$206 80
University Publishing Co., dictionaries,	34 50
Silver, Burdett & Co., music,	99 74
Ginn & Co., geography and music,	27 41
Thompson, Brown & Co., arithmetic, algebra, and composition,	110 62
Grace W. Howard, Shipp's photos.,	4 50
J. L. Hammett, drawing, geography,	22 45
E. A. Gilmore, classroom tablets, etc.,	63 25
D. C. Heath & Co., history and language,	24 61
Lee & Shepard, reading and literature,	13 85
William Ware & Co., physics,	4 80
Peckham, Little & Co., spelling,	1 88
Carl Schoenhof, French,	29 40
Holden Book Co., text book covers,	13 17
National Ex. Com., musical programs, Col- umbus Day,	3 00
Bristol Printing Co., number and drawing cards, etc.,	45 55
Eimer & Amend, chemistry,	22 50
Franklin Ed. Co., chemistry,	66 26
Ed. Supply Co., chemistry,	7 30
Hooper, Lewis & Co., indexed record books,	1 65
Middleton's Express, handling books,	4 55
Howe's Express, " "	27 19
	\$834 98

SUMMARY OF TEXT BOOK ACCOUNT.

Unexpended balance, 1891,	\$417 95
Appropriation for 1892,	500 00
Amount available for 1892,	\$917 95
Expended,	834 98
Balance unexpended,	\$82 97

NEW FURNITURE.

G. S. Perry, for No. 7, desks,	\$372 55
for No. 10, desks,	86 40
for High School, desks,	36 00
	\$494 95
Appropriation,	\$500 00
Expended,	494 95
Balance unexpended,	\$5 05

TRANSPORTATION.

O. C. R. R., Easton, South Easton, Eastondale,	\$399 44
J. M. Gay, coach, Furnace Village,	153 70
E. N. Fisher, coach, Howard District,	126 00
J. J. McCarthy, for 1891,	48 00
J. J. McCarthy, for 1892,	96 00
Nelson Tallman,	23 00
Thomas E. Williams,	13 50
	\$859 64
Appropriation,	\$1,000 00
Expended,	859 64
Balance unexpended,	\$140 36

OAKES AMES BEQUEST.

RECEIPTS.

Balance from Report, 1891,	\$4,847 69
Received from Dividends,	3,500 00
Received from Balance of Interest,	240 13
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	\$8,587 82

Amount brought forward,

\$8,587 82

EXPENDITURES.

Cost of twelve lectures,	\$772 60
Teachers' salaries,	436 67
Subscription to "St. Nicholas,"	180 00
" " "Our Little Ones,"	62 00
" " "Wide Awake,"	17 28
Kindergarten teachers,	482 50
" use of piano,	43 33
" supplies,	123 56
" care of room,	17 75
" rent of room,	70 00
" coal,	33 15
" piano purchased,	245 00
Sewing school teachers,	363 00
" " supplies,	54 19
Industrial school teachers,	222 46
" " supplies,	232 00
Cooking school teachers,	328 20
" " supplies,	66 92
Industrial drawing teachers,	208 00
" " supplies,	160 14
Physical training teacher,	170 50
A. C. Thompson, supplies,	2 25
Franklin Educational Co., magnifiers,	11 40
Cutter & Parker, supplies,	4 50
L. Richmond & Co., supplies,	4 00
John Baldwin, supplies,	20 23
Charles Lewis, supplies,	3 00
E. A. Gilmore, supplies,	15 24
Bristol Printing Co., supplies,	4 00

Amount carried forward,

\$4,353 87	\$8,587 82
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<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$4,353 87	\$8,587 82
John E. Potter & Co., books,	22 00	
Lee & Shepard, books,	30 33	
Silver, Burdett & Co., books,	8 40	
G. B. Goodrich & Co., charts,	15 00	4,429 60
Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1893,		\$4,158 22

GIFT OF MAGAZINES FROM OLIVER AMES TO
SCHOLARS OUTSIDE OF DISTRICT NO. 7.

The Century Co., "St. Nicholas,"	\$122 00
D. Lothrop & Co., "Wide Awake,"	4 32
Russell Publishing Co., "Our Little Ones,"	35 00
	\$161 32

ABSTRACT OF SCHOOL REGISTERS FOR THE
YEAR 1892.

SCHOOL TERMS.	Whole Number.	Average Member-ship.	Average Attendance.	Per cent of Attendance.	Children over 15.	Between 8 and 14.	Under 5.
High Winter....	64	63	51	82	49	15	
Spring	61	58	46	79	51	10	
Fall	92	85	76	90	64	28	
No. 1. Grammar.. Winter....	30	27	25	93	1	29	
Spring	28	28	26	93	1	27	
Fall	27	26	25	96		27	
No. 1. Primary .. Winter....	33	28	24	86		14	
Spring	40	38	34	89		16	1
Fall	37	31	26	84	1	11	2
No. 2 Winter....	24	23	19	83	1	19	
Spring	30	28	24	84	1	20	
Fall	36	35	31	88	1	24	1
No. 3 Winter....	20	20	17	85		14	
Spring	26	22	19	86		19	1
Fall	19	18	16	90		14	
Union Grammar. Winter....	37	35	32	92	4	33	
Spring	37	35	33	94	5	32	
Fall	37	35	33	94	3	34	
Union Primary .. Winter....	36	35	27	78		17	
Spring	47	46	41	90		18	
Fall	49	46	40	87		15	1
No. 6 Winter....	12	11	10	90		10	
Spring	8	8	7	88		7	
Fall	9	9	8	88		6	
No. 7 Winter....	404	393	355	90	20	274	
Spring ..	423	417	388	93	16	277	
Fall	409	395	364	92	7	275	
No. 8 Winter....	34	33	27	82		24	
Spring	33	31	27	87		21	
Fall	39	36	32	89		25	
No. 9 Winter....	31	29	25	86		21	
Spring	24	26	24	92		16	
Fall	38	40	35	87		27	
No. 10 Winter....	26	26	20	77		18	
Spring	30	30	26	87		21	
Fall	26	25	20	80		20	

TABLE FOR NO. 7.

SCHOOL TERMS.	Whole Number.	Average Member-ship.	Average Attendance.	Per cent of Attendance.
C Primary..... Winter	53	49	44	89
Spring	68	65	60	93
Fall	64	61	57	93
B Primary..... Winter	45	41	38	92
Spring	57	54	52	96
Fall.....	42	40	38	95
A Primary..... Winter	53	52	47	90
Spring	55	54	50	92
Fall.....	51	50	47	94
F Grammar..... Winter	52	50	46	92
Spring	53	52	49	94
Fall.....	60	58	54	93
E Grammar..... Winter	51	50	45	90
Spring	49	48	45	93
Fall.....	42	41	38	92
D Grammar..... Winter	47	46	43	93
Spring	48	47	45	95
Fall.....	51	49	40	81
C Grammar..... Winter	49	46	42	91
Spring	47	43	40	93
Fall.....	43	40	38	95
A and B Gram... Winter	56	53	48	90
Spring	53	50	47	94
Fall.....	57	53	52	98

PUPILS NEITHER ABSENT NOR TARDY FOR ONE
TERM.

Frank Bradley.
Ethel Copeland.
Harris De Witt.
Chester Hayward.
Mary Lynch.
Ida L. Manchester.
Lottie Mitchell.
Lorenzo D. Smith.
George C. Barrows.
Ethel Clements.
Mary Cunningham.
Edith Fecto.
Charles E. Keith.
Elizabeth R. Leach.
Charles L. Shaw.
Edward Williams.
Ruby L. Barrows.
James Cunningham.
Waite Colgan.
Augustus S. Canegaly.
Dennis J. Desmond.
Edward J. Scanlon.
F. Ashton Pratt.
Marion C. Goward.
Cornelius P. Dailey.
Albert Allen.
Frank Anderson.
James Buckley.
Frank Callaghan.
Thomas Campion.
Louise Canegaly.
Mabel Drake.
James Ellis.

Margaret Cottie.
Michael Dailey.
James Galvin.
Margaret Galvin.
Michael Lynch.
Nellie Nagle.
Bertha Ryder.
Susie Schindler.
May Warren.
Chester Bell.
Katie Carroll.
George Cotter.
Sadie Crockett.
Julia Desmond.
Hannah Galvin.
Harry Howard.
Earl Keith.
Lida Lawson.
Andrew Lowzon.
Angie McDonald.
Frank Middleton.
Edward Shaw.
Keith Southard.
Julia Sweeney.
Mary Travers.
Earl Wells.
James Ahearn.
Algodt Anderson.
Thomas Canan.
Nellie Clark.
Michael Desmond.
Christie Jennings.
James Kent.

Clinton Gibbs.
 Charles Lawson.
 Frank Leroy.
 Jeremiah O'Neil.
 Weston Monk.
 Bridget Riley.
 Herman Anderson.
 Joseph Downey.
 Jessie Drake.
 Jennie Johnson.
 Lizzie McMullen.
 Arthur Molander.
 Lloyd Morse.
 Patrick O'Connor.
 Huldah Swanson.
 Julia Reardon.
 Alice Tremblay.
 John Vaughn.
 Thomas Banks.
 Walter Billings.
 Lena Cummings.
 Lena Darling.
 Roland Darling.
 Carrie Driscoll.
 Percy Hill.
 Grace Lackey.
 Ruth Mitchell.
 Channing Randall.
 Edith Randall.
 Samuel Beattie.
 John Jones.
 Leon Lackey.
 Beulah Mitchell.
 Helen Sackett.
 Roland H. Alger.
 Jennie D. Gifford.
 C. Merton Howard.

Josie Lordan.
 Kilmer Larson.
 Leo Larson.
 Oscar Larson.
 Willie Malloy.
 Bertha Pierson.
 Jennie Burns.
 Albert Coggan.
 John Cotter.
 John Desmond.
 John Downey.
 Winthrop Drake.
 Henry Harvey.
 Charles Johnson.
 James Linehan.
 Myrtie Shaw.
 Howard P. Stewart.
 Mabel R. Geddes.
 Fred Grant.
 Mabel F. Hanscom.
 Charles Kilgour.
 Florence B. Kimball.
 Laura S. Newcomb.
 John Kimball.
 Mina Laird.
 William McRobbie.
 Frank Wills.
 Elton Brooks.
 Liola F. Brooks.
 Helen C. Carr.
 Nettie M. Carr.
 Albert S. Dickerman.
 B. Frank Gardner.
 Grace V. Gardner.
 Harry C. King.
 H. Leslie Tinkham.
 Hattie P. Heath.

John Mowatt.
 Lewis Mowatt.
 John W. Belcher.
 William W. Belcher.
 Malvina Bennett.
 Harold Gooch.
 Henry Harvey.
 Herbert Hewitt.

Lizzie Nolan.
 Maggie Nolan.
 Mary Nolan.
 Jane Bennett.
 Lucy E. Keith.
 Thomas P. Keith.
 Ida Manchester.

PUPILS NEITHER ABSENT NOR TARDY FOR TWO
 TERMS.

George Galligan.
 Joseph R. Clark.
 George C. Field.
 Frank Molander.
 Ethel Packard.
 Charles P. Savary.
 Henry Thompson.
 Russell H. Warren.
 Margaret J. Flynn.
 John B. Ellis.
 Willie F. Kelley.
 Mary E. Monk.
 Clara L. Morse.
 Charles A. Williams.
 Charles Bell.
 Daniel Dailey.
 George Danforth.
 John O'Connell.
 Ernest Packard.
 Amanda Sundberg.
 Clair Wells.
 Adolph Anderson.
 Clarence Anderson.
 Francis E. Lynch.

Flora Keith.
 Dwight Wheaton.
 William Barrett.
 W. Alden Hall.
 Lawrence Keith.
 Louise Lowzon.
 Sane Olson.
 Elmer Randall.
 Arthur Floren.
 Fred Savary.
 Mary Schindler.
 Maurice Williams.
 Ruth Gilmore.
 Rosa Lowzon.
 Robert Malloy.
 Hannah Nagle.
 Mary Nagle.
 Ellen M. Newcomb.
 Hattie J. Nye.
 Ethel Britton.
 John C. Tallman.
 Lena F. Tallman.
 Edward R. Williams.
 Leigh S. Keith.

Nellie Beatty.
 Grace Cassiday.
 Willie Driscoll.
 Kenneth Mitchell.
 Berlin W. Bruce.
 Adam Birnie.

Florence M. King.
 E. Howard Smith.
 Arthur Dunn.
 Bertha Phillips.
 Mildred E. Gooch. .

PUPILS NEITHER ABSENT NOR TARDY FOR THE
 ENTIRE YEAR.

Harry R. Franklin.
 Huldah R. Helgesson.
 Edgar Baldwin.
 Agnes Burns.
 Hilda Hagg.
 Harold S. Thayer.
 Rosa Beatty.

Joseph Gilliatt.
 Willie Gilliatt.
 Alfred Hurst.
 Edward E. Gifford.
 Clara R. Packard.
 Elmer E. Webster.
 George V. Dunn.

